

Stirling Wins Over Belleville

"Lumber Kings" Outplay
Bourgeois' Garage Tues-
day Night — Score 9 to 5

(By G.D.)

On Tuesday night at the local ball grounds Stirling Lumber Kings scored an easy victory over the Bourgeois' Garage team of Belleville by a score of 9 to 5.

The locals opened the scoring in the second inning when Donohoe and Montgomery walked and Lanigan sent them home with a triple. Tanner followed with a triple sending Lanigan home and was out at the plate when he tried to stretch it into a homer. In the third Fraser hit a triple and scored on an infield out. Three more runs were added to the Lumber Kings' total in the fourth when with Lanigan and Tanner on the paths, Dafeo cleared the runways with a towering homer clear over the chicken house in left field. They added another in the 6th with Burton Morton driving Dafeo home with a triple. Lanigan completed the scoring for the locals in the 7th when he lashed a tremendous drive over the right fielder's head for a homer.

The visitors scored two in the 4th with Doyle and Cooke crossing the rubber, and added one each in the 6th, 7th and 8th innings for a total of five runs.

Kreh and Fraser divided the catching duties for Stirling with Rodgers on the mound.

Young, pitching for Belleville, had difficulty with his control at times and gave up several walks. He also had several strikeouts to his credit.

Lanigan pulled the fielding feature of the game when he took a terrific drive in right field running with his back to the infield to rob the Belleville hitter of a sure homer. Dafeo, and Lanigan, each with a homer and triple to their credit, and Tanner, Fraser and Morton, with triples, were the heavy hitters for the locals. Doyle, the visitors' shortstop, was their fielding star, making several fine catches. He also contributed a double and a pair of singles to help his team's chances. Stirling—Lanigan, rf; Montgomery, 3b; Tanner, 3b; Dafeo, 1b; Morton, cf; Kreh, c; Fraser, lf and c; Donohoe, ss; Rodgers, p. Paul Stewart replaced Fraser in left field when the latter assumed the catching duties in the fourth.

Bourgeois' Garage—Bell, c; Doyle, ss; McGuire, cf; Donovan, 1; Cook, 3b; Fitzgibbon, 2b; Gardner, rf; Adams, lf; Young, p.

Score by innings:
Stirling 0 3 1 3 0 1 1 0 0—9
Bourgeois' 0 0 0 2 1 1 1 0—5
Umpires—Plate, M. Heath; bases, Ray Rose.

Last Night's Games

In last night's doubleheader, Stirling Legion defeated the Juniors by a score of 13 to 7. Noble and Kreh were the battery for the former and Faulkner and Wright for the latter. In the second game Stirling "Lumber Kings" stretched their unbeaten record in league play by downing Minto 13 to 8. Rodgers and Fraser formed the winners' battery and Ray and Tomlinson for the losers.

Campbellford Rink Wins Corbin Trophy

Walter Wiggins' Campbellford Rink won the beautiful Gold Cup donated by the Corbin Lock Company, at the annual men's rinks' tournament held by the Belleville Lawn Bowling Club on Monday. The winning rink won with the highest score ever registered in the six years of competition and each member won a case of silverware. Other members of the rink were James Archer, T. L. Diamond and Dwight Bennett.

Stirling Represented

The Stirling Bowling Club was represented with two rinks, R. A. Patterson, Dr. E. A. Carleton, H. R. Tompkins and Walter T. Elliott, skip, and Thos. W. Holmes, A. Livingstone, F. R. Mallory and R. E. Fox, skip. The former won two games while the latter rink were edged out in all three games.

Won Cheese

Members of the latter rink each won a small cheddar cheese in a lucky draw sponsored by the Belleville Club.

Breaks Shoulder

As the result of a fall at their summer cottage, on the Trent River, on Sunday night, Mrs. E. G. Bailey suffered a broken shoulder.

Resurface Highway

A new surface has been put on Highway No. 14 from Marmora to Stirling. The McFarland Construction Co., of Picton, is in charge of the work and the work was completed to the centre of the village this (Thursday) morning.

Successful Social At Marsh Hill

Pine Grove Y.I. held a very successful Garden Party on Alex Tanner's Lawn on Thursday evening of last week. With Stirling Citizens' Band to keep things livened up, an old fashioned fish pond, and plenty of good home cooking for eats along with ice cream, and a big crowd, the evening left nothing to be desired. Receipts were somewhere around the \$65 mark.

Ladies' Lawn Bowling Tourney

Stirling Ladies' Bowling Club sponsored a rinks' tournament on the local greens on Friday last. The weather was ideal and some keen bowling was witnessed on good greens.

High honours for the tournament went to Mrs. Cross and her rink from Belleville, with a score of 42 plus 9. Mrs. Correll's rink, of Deseronto, captured the prize for the two-game winners, while a local rink skipped by Mrs. P. W. Long, was the one-game prize winner.

Rawdon Tax Rate Set at 31.8 Mills

At the regular meeting of Rawdon Township Council on Monday, the tax rate for the current year was struck at 31.8 mills. The Provincial Government subsidy of one mill will reduce the levy to 30.8 mills. This is an increase of 4 mills over the 1947 rate.

Returns From Motor Trip

Rev. and Mrs. N. Cole just returned from a vacation in Nova Scotia. They visited former charges in Cape Breton, Port Hood on the Atlantic Coast being Mr. Cole's last charge in the east. The motor trip was 2500 miles. They followed the scenic routes and report delightful motoring conditions. Their son-in-law, Rev. Harold Robbins, is at West Bay, Cape Breton, where they spent several days.

Mr. Cole takes over immediately his new charge at Hastings.

St. Andrew's W.M.S.

The July meeting of St. Andrew's W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. W. H. V. Walker with a good attendance of members and visitors. The meeting opened with Hymn 323, followed by the reading of the Scripture from St. John, chapter 4, and prayer by Mrs. Hermiston. The key word was reverence, with each member responding as her name was called by the secretary. Mrs. Munro gave the Watch Tower on Home Missions and Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Hoard on Mission Fields overseas. It was decided to have no meeting in August.

Mrs. W. L. Munro took charge of the program and read a poem, "The Creed of Love," followed by Hymn 437 and a reading on "Reverence," by Mrs. Roy Eggleton.

Mrs. Williams gave a piano solo, which was much enjoyed. Mrs. Ernest Cain gave a reading, "Enjoy the Things That Come Along," and Mrs. Walker gave a paper on Missionary Work in China. Mrs. Anderson gave a splendid paper on "Reverence and Gratitude."

Mrs. Walker thanked all those who helped with the program and following the singing of a hymn, Rev. Walker closed the meeting with prayer.

A delicious lunch and social hour was enjoyed, after which Mrs. Tummon moved a vote of thanks to the hostess and Mrs. Munro for the lovely afternoon.

BELL TELEPHONE TO EXTEND DIAL EXCHANGE HERE

An extension now under construction to the Stirling dial telephone exchange will, when completed, provide space for sufficient dial exchange equipment to serve all present applicants for service and to allow for expansion for the next few years, according to G. W. Proctor, Bell Telephone manager for this area.

The exchange building on Church street is being extended 16 feet to the rear, making a total of 350 square feet of added floor space. The extension will consist of one storey, and will be of solid brick construction, with a gabled roof and a re-inforced concrete floor.

F. R. Armstrong & Son, of Stirling, were recently awarded the general contract for the extension, which is scheduled for completion in November. The installation of dial switching equipment will be finished by the end of December.

The extended exchange will hold sufficient dial equipment to serve nearly 1,300 subscribers.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Miss Marion Gravers, of Toronto, spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Joyce Easton, of Mimico, spent the week-end with Miss Dora Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. West are hollaying at Salmon Lake.

Mrs. Hugh Leitch, of Winnipeg, is a guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Duffin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scarfe, of Cobourg, are guests this week of their daughter, Mrs. C. E. Macklin, and Mr. Macklin.

Duncan Montgomery, Toronto, visited his mother, Mrs. James Montgomery, here, this week.

Mrs. G. L. Clute, local Librarian, is holidaying at "Craigmere Inn," Lansdowne.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Malloy and Gerald were week-end guests of Mrs. L. A. A. at Weslemkoon Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lashbrook, of Toronto, were renewing acquaintances in town over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Macklin spent the week-end at the Old Boys' Reunion in Cobourg.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sprentall, of Toronto, spent the week-end holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sprentall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin spent the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Rowland, of Peterboro.

Mr. Melville Heagle, of Oshawa, was a guest last week of his mother, Mrs. Flora Brown.

Mr. Ned Faires, of Toronto, is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Faires, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dingman and son, Bobby, of Montreal, are guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nottall and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nottall, of Peterborough, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Tummon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Green and Mrs. B. B. Bowerman, of Peterborough, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold McCutcheon and family, of Toronto, are spending this week with the former's mother, Mrs. Geo. McCutcheon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Craighead, of Smiths Falls, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cain, on Monday.

Mr. Reggie Rodgers, Toronto, Mr. Harold Rodgers, of Winnipeg, and Mr. R. G. Rodgers, Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rodgers last week.

Mr. Robert Elliott, University of Toronto, spent the week-end of July 24th with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Elliott.

Miss Lillian Matthews and Mrs. Al West, Campbellford, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cain on Tuesday.

Mrs. Helen Brown and Thornton Brown, Belleville, were week-end callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Tummon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pavey, Shirley and David, and Mrs. Cleough, of Galt, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stapley.

Mrs. Louis Rodgers has returned home after visiting her brother, G. E. McGee, and Mrs. McGee, in Buffalo,

PAST NOBLE GRAND'S CLUB ENTERTAINED

The Past Noble Grand's Club of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, met on Wednesday afternoon, July 21st, at the home of Mrs. Walter Warren, Bethel, when Mrs. Warren and Mrs. S. J. Elliott were co-hostesses for an afternoon tea and lawn party.

In the absence of the president, the vice-president, Mrs. S. Elliott, presided over the meeting which opened with the singing of "O Canada" and the "Lord's Prayer" in unison.

At the conclusion of the business, a fine programme of games, readings and contests was presented by Mrs. M. Megginson, Mrs. E. G. Bailey and Miss Evelyn Bailey and was greatly enjoyed by all.

Twenty-one members and guests sat down to an attractively laid table when the hostesses served a delicious supper.

Miss Evelyn Bailey expressed appreciation on behalf of all present to the hostesses for the delightfully arranged afternoon and tea.

The next meeting will be held at the Spry cottage on Thursday afternoon, August 19th, with a pot luck supper.

Marsh Hill Lady Won Prizes

Mrs. Blake Johnson, Marsh Hill, had a double stand-in with Lady Luck last week when she attended a Kiwanis Bingo in Belleville, and won a Thor electric washer and the door prize of a hand-painted picture.

Hooks Large Bass

Fishing in the Salmon Lake area recently, Bill Sutherland, local flour and feed merchant, hooked a small mouth black bass, weighing 5 lbs. 3 oz. The fish put up a stiff battle and Burton Morton, a fellow fisherman, assisted in landing the beauty.

Suffers Injuries

John Holmes, section foreman, met with a painful accident early Friday morning while about his duties on the track near Wellman's. While using a track jack to hold a rail it slipped and the handle hit him in the jaw knocking him to the ground. He was taken to Belleville for an x-ray which revealed no broken bones. However, his jaw is badly bruised and swollen. He is able to continue his duties.

Local Men Pass Exams

David Duffin of the R. B. Duffin Funeral Home, has been successful in his final examinations at the Canadian School of Embalming, Toronto, and is now a licensed embalmer and undertaker. Chas. Faires, Jr., who is also an employee of the Duffin Funeral Home, was successful in his first year examinations at the same school.

Both young men are receiving the congratulations of their friends on their success.

Loses A Brother

Stirling and district friends will extend sympathy to Mr. R. B. Duffin of this village in the death of his youngest brother, James Duffin, who died suddenly at his home in Toronto this (Thursday) morning. The funeral will take place Saturday, with interment in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery. Another brother, Dr. Harry Duffin, and one daughter, Mrs. S. Beatty, of Toronto, survive. A son was killed overseas in the last war.

Shoots Brush Wolf

Charles Gordanier, of Bonarlaw, was displaying a wolf pelt in this village on Monday on his way to the County buildings to claim the bounty. The wolf was seen on the farm of Al Morrison at the northern end of Rawdon township on Sunday afternoon, when Mr. Gordanier and James L. Hewitt were crossing the farm. Gordanier rushed to his home some three miles away in his car and returned with his trusty rifle. Hewitt went into the adjacent brush and scared the animal out where it was easy prey for Gordanier's gun.

It is reported that three or four wolves have been seen together in the district recently.

Mrs. B. Lovibond

Aged and esteemed resident of Ivanhoe, Mrs. Minnie Alma Lovibond died at her home on Friday, July 30th, following an illness of four months. She was in her 83rd year.

St. Andrew's S.S. Picnic

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Sunday School held a successful picnic at Seale's Beach, on July 7th. Swimming was enjoyed in the afternoon, while after supper games and races took place.

Boys 7 years and under—John Ray, Claire Craighead.

Girls, 7 years and under—Carol Ray, Sally Fox, Heather Rodgers.

Boys, 10 years and under—Jimmy McIntosh, Tommy Duff and John Craighead.

Boys, 10 years and over—Robert Munro, Bobby Eggleton.

Girls, seven and over—Lulabelle Matthews, Shirley Devolin.

Girls, 10 years and over—Muriel Devolin, Eleanor Fox.

Girls, 16 and over—Arlene Tummon and Doreen Fox.

Friends Honour Bride And Groom

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Campbell
Given Purse of Money
— Good Program Enjoyed

The Church Hall of Mt. Pleasant United Church was the scene, Wednesday evening, July 21st, of a happy gathering when the community tendered a presentation and shower to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Campbell (nee Phyllis Bartlett).

Mr. Lindsay McKeown was master of ceremonies. He cordially welcomed the bride to the community and wished the young couple many years of future wedded happiness. Mrs. Carleton Potts presided at the piano while Mr. Harry Brown, of Carmel, led in a rousing sing-song.

Miss Lois Weaver contributed a piano solo and Mrs. Merle Spencer a humorous reading entitled "My Aunt's Bonnet." A delightful vocal trio, "Now Is The Hour," by the Misses Shirley McKeown and Ruth Linn with Mr. Ray Sharp was much enjoyed. Mrs. Percy MacMullen contributed a reading, "Betty At The Baseball Game," which was followed by two very fine piano selections played by Miss Betty McConnell, for which she received hearty applause.

The guests of honor were invited to seats of honor, and Mr. Ralph Jeffs read a congratulatory address, while Mr. Robert Hoard made the presentation of a gift of money to be used by them for the purchase of something needed in their new home. They were also the recipients of a number of miscellaneous gifts from visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell expressed thanks to their friends and invited all to visit them when they are settled in their new home.

Cool refreshments were served and a social half hour was enjoyed. Departing guests wished the young couple many years of happiness.

Impressive Tribute Paid The Late Mrs. G. Hagerman

Impressive tribute was paid to the late Mrs. Geo. Hagerman, life-long resident of this district, at the funeral services held in St. Paul's United Church, on Tuesday afternoon, July 20th. Rev. A. M. Lavery, of Kingston, a former minister of St. Paul's, conducted the service, assisted by Rev. W. H. V. Walker, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

During the service Mrs. C. E. Macklin rendered a solo, "Some Day The Silver Chord Will Break." The pallbearers were Messrs. Claude Tucker, George Carlisle, Cameron Montgomery, Ross Hoard, J. L. Good and Volney Richardson. Interment in Stirling Cemetery.

The many floral tributes bore mute testimony to the high esteem in which the deceased lady was held in the community.

The late Margaret Hagerman, widow of George B. Hagerman, died early Sunday morning, July 18th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charlotte White, in this village. She was born in Rawdon Township, the daughter of the late Robert Patterson and Elizabeth Armstrong, and had reached the advanced age of 97 years. The greater part of her life was passed in the Township where she was born and for the past thirty-four years she made her home in Stirling. She was a member of St. Paul's United Church and when age and health permitted she took an active part in the church work.

Surviving her are two sons, Wilbert Hagerman, of Stirling, and Ketcheson Hagerman, of Toppensish, Washington; three daughters, Mrs. Fred (Martha) Jeffs, Rawdon township; Mrs. George (Charlotte) White, Stirling; and Mrs. Lindsay (Emma) Watson, Campbellford; twenty-three grandchildren, twenty-eight great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

Her husband predeceased her in 1930, also one son, Wellington Hagerman, in 1899, and one daughter, Mrs. B. E. (Elizabeth) Cummings, of Philadelphia, in 1943.

Merchant Passes

Stricken Sunday at his summer home at Grimsby Beach, George T. Woodley, Belleville, died Monday evening in Hamilton General Hospital.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 5th, 1948

Hastings Co. Junior Farmers' Field Day

The annual track and field meet, sponsored by the Hastings County Junior Farmers' Association, was held on

Friday, July 23rd, at the Stirling Agricultural Society grounds, with the Rawdon Township Junior Farmer and Institute Clubs acting as hosts.

Highlights of the day's program was the softball tournament in which four girls' teams and five boys' teams were

represented. Each team represented the various township clubs. In the first girls' softball games, the Rawdon Junior Farmer girls defeated the Sidney Junior Farmer girls by a score of 23 to 20. The Madoc Junior Farmer girls, whipped the Thurlow Junior Farmer girls by a score of 23 to 11. The final girls' game, played just before supper, saw the Madoc girls trim the Rawdon girls' team 23 to 11. This final game gave the Madoc girls' team the honour of representing Hastings County at the Regional Junior Farmer Field Day, which was held in Belleville on Friday, July 30th.

In the boys' Junior Farmer tournament the forenoon games saw the Rawdon Junior Farmers defeat Thurlow Junior Farmers by a score of 20 to 5, and the Sidney Junior Farmers defeat the Madoc team 10 to 4. In the afternoon Sidney drew the bye and Rawdon had to play Hungerford in the semi-finals and eliminated them by a score of 23 to 3. The final boys' softball game brought together the Sidney and Rawdon Clubs. Sidney clinched the softball tournament by defeating Rawdon by a score of 26 to 12 and thereby gained the right to represent Hastings County at the Regional Field Day.

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Track Events

Winners in the track events were as follows:

Boys' High Jump—Gordon Grills, of Sidney Township; George Clare, Thurlow; John Huffman, Thurlow.

Boys' Running Broad Jump—Gordon Grills, Sidney; John Huffman, Thurlow; Lynn McCoy, Madoc.

Boys' 100-yd. dash—Gordon Grills, of Sidney; George Clare, Thurlow; Tommy Moorcroft, Madoc.

Boys' 220-yd. dash—Gordon Grills, of Sidney; Tommy Moorcroft, Madoc; Fred Edmondson, Sidney.

Girls' High Jump—Luella Homan, of Thurlow; Donna Grills, Thurlow; Joan McCurdy, Rawdon.

Girls' Running Broad Jump—Donna Sills, Thurlow; Geraldine Harry, Sidney; Bernadette Thompson, Madoc.

Girls' 75-yd. Dash—Donna Sills, of Thurlow; Frances Morrison, Rawdon; Norma Clare, Thurlow, and Bernadette Thompson, Madoc, tied for third.

Girls' Softball Throw—Bernadette Thompson, Madoc; Donna Rollins, Madoc; Luella Homan, Thurlow.

The Sidney Township Junior Farmers' Club won the track meet with a total of 34 points, but the Thurlow Junior Farmers' Club were a close second, with 30 points.

Abandon The Trent Canal -- Never! Says Peterboro Paper

(Peterborough Examiner)

The Trent Canal is an expensive waterway to maintain. There are some people, even in Peterborough, who think that the Federal Government should stop throwing money annually down its drain and abandon the whole thing. They say that tourists probably like to look at it as an antiquated survival of the lavish canal-building days of the last century but that few use it. They say it has never fulfilled its original purpose of providing a short water-way for transportation and commerce between Georgian Bay and Lake Ontario. They remark that now not even the steamers Stony Lake, the Empress and the Islanda ply its waters locally. Why, they grumble, should the country keep such an expensive system in working order for the sake of a few Toronto or American yachts?

We might ask the critics how one goes about abandoning a Lift Lock, 41 other locks and 79 navigation dams? The expense of "abandoning" them would be nearly as great as maintaining them, we suspect. However, no informed person who cares for the welfare of Central Ontario would consider abandoning them. There is more in the Trent Waterway System than meets the eye, and there is a lot of good that meets the eye.

Many sections of the canal, like that below the Lift Lock, are really beautiful. It is a major tourist attraction, and tourists do use the canals, channels and lakes of the system even if they do not go through the locks. Last year over the whole system there were 13,000 lockages. There are commercial uses, too; for instance the Nepheline Company sculls ore from Stony Lake to the railhead at Lakefield.

There is much misconception about the Trent Canal, particularly by Peterborough residents who think of it in terms of the artificial four-mile channel east of the river and the infrequently used Lift Lock on it. The Trent Canal is really not a canal—it is an improved natural waterway or channel ('canal' and 'channel' have the same root). Its total watershed is 4,837 square miles in extent. It includes the thirteen Kawartha Lakes, which, with Rice Lake, have a storage capacity of 76,000 acre feet of water. (An acre foot is water sufficient to cover an acre of land to a depth of one foot.) It includes about 44 lakes in Haliburton with a storage capacity of 254,000 acre feet, and Lakes Simcoe and Couchiching with a storage capacity of 220,000. All these waters are not only linked but controlled by the locks and dams of the system. There are 66 reservation dams quite apart from the navigation dams. The Trent System includes great power dams like that at Healey Falls (the provider of most of Peterborough's electrical power). These dams are the property of the Federal Government; their power rights are leased to the Ontario Hydro.

It is obvious, therefore, that the Trent Canal System is now of primary importance as a regulator of water-flow and a provider of water power. The Otonabee, for instance, does not flood in spring like the Ganaraska at Port Hope (which has an abandoned dam). Allied with its uses as a regulator of the flow of water is, of course, the conservation of soil and reforestation. The Trent System does not unfortunately provide sufficient storage facilities to contain all surplus Spring run-off, but it does conserve vast quantities. This is attested by the absence of great floods along the Trent River and its tributaries at times

when towns in western Ontario are inundated. Further, the system does augment the natural flow during the summer and early autumn when evaporation and the demands of plant life are at a maximum.

Abandon the Trent Canal? Never—even if the Lift Lock operates only 150 times a year.

Harvest Camps Urgently Need Men and Women

With a bumper crop of fruits and vegetables nearing the harvest stage in Ontario, the situation regarding harvest help is more serious than ever before, it is reported by Alex MacLaren, Director of the Ontario Farm Service Force. Young men and women are urgently needed from August 1st to November 15th to fill up the Farm Service Camps which have been established in the important fruit and vegetable areas. During that period, heavy crops of peaches, pears, apples, tomatoes, other fall fruits and vegetables have to be harvested, and 25 camps are being operated, to house workers who are willing to devote their time to the saving of these essential crops.

Both young men and women are needed for the Farm Service camps. Not only will hundreds be required

from August 1 on, but at the end of August high school students will be leaving the camps to return to school, and it is vital that other young men and women come forward to take their places in the camps. Camps are located throughout the Niagara district, also at Holland Marsh, Oakville, Clarkson, Huttonville, Waterford, Ruthven and Theford. Steady work at excellent rates of pay is guaranteed, and with heavy crops to be harvested, hundreds of workers will be needed for the next three months. Any young men or women who can give three weeks or more to this work, while living in one of the splendid farm service camps, will be welcomed with open arms. They are asked to provide only their own blankets, sheets and pillow slips.

Mr. MacLaren appeals especially to farmers' sons and daughters whose harvest work on their own farms is completed, and who would like to earn a substantial amount of money by taking part in the fruit and vegetable harvest.

All young men and women interested in this healthy outdoor life of harvest work are urgently requested to get in touch with the Ontario Farm Service Force, 9 Richmond Street East, Toronto, at once.

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AUDITOR'S REPORT

FOR THE

Township of Sidney

For The Year Ending December 31st,

1947

To The Reeve, Deputy Reeve and Councillors of The Township of Sidney

Gentlemen:

I have examined the accounts, vouchers and books of the various Officials and beg leave to report as follows:

RECEIPTS

Balance in bank Dec. 31, 1946	\$ 12386.98
Sale of land	100.00
Pool Tax	1.00
Refund on repairs	35.00
Provincial Government, subsidy on relief	652.00
Provincial Gov't., sub. on fuel	77.00
Provincial Gov't., sub. on roads	18649.06
Provincial Government, one mill	2755.45
Taxes	74173.18
Use of road machinery	1847.41
Fence viewing	9.03
Licenses	22.00
Board of Health	161.66
Debentures	107.68
Dogs	64.00
School grant, Frankford	1184.22
Gas tax refund	21.69
Refund on account	3.20
Interest on bonds	225.00
Sale of bonds	3160.20
	115645.67

EXPENDITURES

Special account	\$ 2509.00
Personal services	360.50
Printing and postage	503.60
Council fees	385.00
Maintenance buildings for municipal purposes	225.73
Sheep and dogs	21.00
Election	190.75
Relief administration	520.83
Direct relief	1489.65
Hospitalization	325.31
Charity	161.00
Interest	5.75
County rates	34358.71
Snow plow	500.00
International Service Truck	1500.00
Debentures	3945.78
Schools	31529.84
Taxes returned	16.00
Grants	535.00
Insurance	243.50
Soldiers' grants	50.00
Fines	10.00
Salaries	1663.00
Outstanding cheques 1946	4594.87
	125167.75
Less special school account	9872.90
Total expenditure	115294.85
Deficit	350.82

BANK RECONCILIATION

Balance in bank	\$ 8997.79
Outstanding cheques	8645.98
Error in cheques	99
Actual bank balance	\$ 350.82

CAPITAL ASSETS

Road drags and horse maintainer	500.00
Cletrac	2000.00
Crusher	3000.00
Power maintainer	1500.00
Snow fence and posts	4500.00
Tools and office equipment	4000.00
Caterpillar and dozer	8000.00
Truck and snow plow	3500.00
	25900.00

LIABILITIES—None

CURRENT ASSETS

Cash on hand, collector	\$ 12258.63
Cash in bank	8997.79
Victory Bonds	6000.00
Work done by road machinery	88.00
Due from Frankford	1184.22
Balance of road subsidy	6717.29
Taxes receivable	10771.34
Taxes in County	510.37
	46527.04

LIABILITIES

Outstanding cheques	\$ 8546.06
Surplus	37980.98
	46527.04

BREAKDOWN OF TAX ROLL

MUNICIPAL PURPOSES

General expenditure, including County rate	\$ 48256.07
Unemployment Relief	1400.08
General School rate	11455.60
School Section levies	16897.62
School debenture	1705.75
Separate School, Batawa	229.69
	82291.21

Separate School, Belleville	51.30
Separate School, Trenton	42.88
Dogs	1318.00
Federation of Agriculture	445.78
	81862.66

ASSESSMENT ROLL

Buildings:	
Residential	\$245000.00
Manufacturing	201000.00
Farm	529400.00
Residential	12550.00
Commercial	39512.00
Industrial	16400.00
Farm	1688878.00
Business	52709.00
Total Assessment	2755449.00

TAXES RECEIVABLE

Total Roll	\$ 82052.68
Collection	\$ 72466.10
Adjustment	15.86
Balance uncollected	9570.79
	82052.68

1946 Roll

Uncollected at January 1st	\$ 8363.63
Interest added	196.41
Total	8560.04
Collections	\$ 7359.40
Balance uncollected	1200.64
	8560.04

INSURANCE AND BONDS

H. S. HUNT, Treasurer

Bond of \$5,000 in General Accident of Canada, expires March 8th, 1948.

ROY WOOD, Tax Collector.

Bond of \$2,500 in General Accident of Canada, expires November 1st, 1948.

Messenger and Robbery in General Accident of Canada, limited to \$2,800.

ROAD INSURANCE

Halifax Insurance on machinery \$8,800 and Public Liability 1/5,000/10,000.

SCHOOL SECTIONS

Bank Balance at December 31st, 1947

No. 2	\$ 7150.36
No. 4	1259.78
No. 5	2162.60
No. 6	2700.74
No. 7	2571.08
No. 10	1291.61
No. 12	1701.89
No. 13	1175.55
No. 16	1442.82
No. 17	1299.39
No. 19	1270.49
No. 20	1442.82
No. 22	1108.94
No. 23	1468.69
No. 24	1854.71
	1410.10

DEBENTURES

Debenture for S.S. No. 2, \$18275 sold to Canadian Bank of Commerce at Toronto; issued for 10 years; annual payment \$2088.08.

Frankford S.S. Debenture—Sidney share at present 45%.

Balance unpaid \$ 20771.12

Annual payment including interest \$ 4128.00

ROAD DEPARTMENT

Balance Sheet and Expenditure Report for Period ending December 15th, 1947

MAINTENANCE

Brush and Weeds	\$ 1283.37	DR.	CR.
Bridges	100.65		
Culverts	321.71		
Ditches	138.25		
Dust layer	309.20		
Drainage	2388.74		
Grade	442.60		
Resurfacing (Gravel)	1237.60		
Resurfacing (crushed gravel)	4774.00		
Ratepayers	656.95		
Snow roads	4748.85		
Sanding	283.25		
Snow fence (main.)	539.29	17694.37	

MACHINERY

Cletrac	2913.79	\$ 2793.00
Cat Dozer	2614.46	2492.00
Cat Dozer (pur. new)	2642.50	
Crushing Plant	765.84	744.00
Power Grader	1480.48	1332.00
Snow Plow (Frink)	3551.35	
Snow Plow (North Star)	2408.85	
Service Truck (Int.)	1174.64	
Service Truck (Dodge)	694.92	25146.83

OVERHEAD

Supt. salary	1500.00	
Miscellaneous	79.88	
Tools	77.94	
Insurance	385.99	
Unemployment Insurance	45.60	33.35
Road Signs	39.40	2128.81

Vouchers No. 1—12A 44970.01 10314.85

Ratepayers Cr. \$34655.16 1821.70

Total Expenditure chargeable to By-law 32832.46

All of which I respectfully submit.

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ENGLISH JOURNEY

BY WALTER R. LEGGE

ARTICLE No. 5

Nothing seems to have such a demoralising effect on the character of the English people as the gasoline restrictions, and motorists seem to attempt any kind of deception to get around them.

In a desperate effort to enforce the regulations the authorities have set most severe penalties which appear to be out of all proportion to the punishment for much more serious offences. The new regulations in effect from June 1st make it more difficult than ever to catch illegal users. Up to June 1st no car could travel on the road at all except by permit for essential work. However, there seemed to be thousands of ways to prove that the driving was essential.

Since June 1st it is not necessary to prove that a car is doing essential work, but the allowance of petrol is so pitifully small that the automobile owner position is not much improved. To catch drivers with illegal quantities of gasoline, all used for commercial driving is being colored, and if any of this colored gasoline is found in a private car, the punishment is really fantastically severe.

There is one thought that continually crossed my mind, and that is that the transportation systems, both railways and buses, are now government owned and operated. To cut the use of private cars to a minimum must

force people to use the government transportation monopoly.

Everywhere I went, I heard the lament that my hosts could not drive me around as much as they wished on account of the gasoline restrictions.

However with some little motor driving and by the use of buses I was able to keep continually on the move and see something interesting and unusual every day.

As I mentioned before, by staying at a central place it is possible to get almost everywhere that one would wish to go. It is surprising to find that there is very frequent bus service usually about every half hour or hour, to almost any place within a reasonable distance.

I shall try to describe a few of the interesting places I visited. Almost every hamlet in England has some ancient shrine, some particularly old or beautiful church, an ancient castle or some association with a famous writer, author, statesman or hero.

One of the first places I visited was Stoke Poges and there are few more beautiful spots in England. To get to that famous churchyard I took a bus from Amersham, a journey of about half an hour, and walked about a quarter of a mile along a tree and hedge bordered road.

Stoke Poges churchyard inspired Thomas Gray, the poet, to write what is considered the most beautiful poem in the English language, the "Elegy in a Country Churchyard," which starts:

"The curfew tolls the knell of parting day,
The lowing herd winds slowly o'er the lea,
The ploughman homeward plods his weary way,
And leaves the world to darkness and to me."

There are hundreds of similar churches and churchyards in England, just as old or older, just as pretty, but Gray's poem has made Stoke Poges famous for as long as the English language is spoken. It is recorded that Wolfe on the eve of the capture of Quebec quoted this poem and as he came to the line "The paths of glory lead but to the grave" said with prophetic words that he would rather have been the writer of that poem than the man who would take Quebec.

Gray himself was buried in the same tomb as his mother. His name does not appear on the tomb but a tablet in the church wall nearby records his burial "in the same tomb upon which he has so feelingly inscribed his grief

at the loss of a beloved parent." He was buried on August 6, 1771.

Near the south porch still stands the ancient yew tree under which it is said that he sat and penned his famous poem.

About 100 yds. away is a stone monument in Gray's memory on which are inscribed some verses from the Elegy.

The church itself dates back to 1230 AD for the south aisle, 1270 for the north aisle but it is known that a church has existed here since 1107 A.D.

An interesting feature of the church is a private entrance from the Manor House which stands a few hundred yards from the church.

The manor goes back to Anglo-Saxon times and the present Manor house is chiefly known for having been the home of the Penn family.

William Penn, the founder of the state of Pennsylvania is buried about six miles away at Jordans, a Quaker shrine, which I visited on another day. It is reached by taking a bus to Seer Green and walking about a mile.

The Jordans Meeting House was built in 1688 and was one of the early gathering places for the Quakers or Society of Friends.

The early Quakers were subject to a great deal of persecution and one of their greatest advocates in their time of trial and tribulation was William Penn who in 1681 founded Pennsylvania.

As might be expected the Meeting House is a plain and simple building both inside and out, the exterior looking much like a most unassuming house.

Inside at the rear is a sort of balcony in which is a small museum containing many original manuscripts and letters written by William Penn, and other items intimately associated with the Quakers.

Just outside the front door are the graves of Wm. Penn, both his wives and nine children. Penn and his second wife are in one grave at the head of which is a small stone with only the wording "William Penn, 1718, Hannah Penn, 1726."

On the way from Amersham to Seer Green is the cottage at Chalfout St. Giles where Milton wrote "Paradise Lost."

When the Plague was raging in London in 1665, Thomas Ellwood, a Quaker, at the request of Milton located a small cottage at Chalfout St. Giles, where Milton moved to get away from the plague, and it was here that he wrote most of "Paradise Lost."

The cottage dates from about 1600 and remains much the same as when Milton lived in it. It is now a museum, administered by ten trustees and contains first editions of "Paradise Lost," "Paradise Regained" and numerous other items.

It is a most picturesque spot with a beautiful old garden.

Before leaving Chalfout St. Giles a word should be said about its beautiful old church. The chancel and nave date from the 12th century, the north aisle from 1260, the chancel arch from 1410 and the clock from 1710. In the entry is a list of incumbents unbroken since 1217.

On the walls some very old medieval paintings have recently been discovered and are now being restored. One is a scene of the beheading of John the Baptist showing the executioner and Salome.

Every parish church has some unique feature such as this.

Stapley - Reid

The marriage of Doris May, eldest daughter of Mrs. Thos. R. Reid, and the late Mr. Reid, of Bonarlaw, to Harold Arthur, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stapley, of Stirling, was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Taylor, 11 Barnado Ave., Peterborough, on Saturday, July 17th. Evangelist S. Taylor officiated.

The bride was attired in all white, wearing an afternoon gown of nylon

over taffeta with picture hat corsage of Rapture roses and sweet peas. She was attended by Miss Hilda Stapley who wore white silk jersey with white accessories and a corsage of red roses. The groomsmen were Mr. T. Robert Reid, brother of the bride.

After the ceremony the couple left for a motor trip through western Ontario for which the bride wore a suit of navy taffeta with white.

On return Mr. and Mrs. Stapley will reside on the groom's farm near Campbellford.

Kenneth Yorke Named Supt. County Home

Kenneth Yorke, Thurlow-born resident of Hastings County and latterly of Sidney Township, has been named Superintendent of the Hastings County House of Refuge. Mrs. Yorke was jointly named matron of the institution, according to an announcement made recently by the House of Refuge Committee of Hastings County Council.

The appointment is subject to confirmation of the County Council at its December session.

Superintendent Yorke and Matron Yorke succeed former Superintendent Elmer Sandercock and Matron Sandercock who resigned the position some weeks ago. The new officials were expected to assume their duties in the immediate future.

Superintendent and Matron Yorke were selected from eleven applications for the positions, all of whom came highly recommended.

Mr. Yorke was born in Thurlow Township, but has resided the most of his life in Sidney. He received his education at Belleville Collegiate Institute. A member of the staff of the House of Refuge for a number of years, he comes particularly well qualified for the position. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yorke of Thurlow Township.

Mrs. Yorke, the former Muriel Shorey, of Sidney Township, received her junior matriculation at B.C.I. and, like her husband, was a member of the institution staff for a lengthy period of time.

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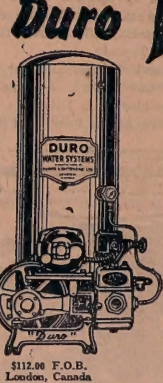
Robt. J. Scott Named County Jail Governor

Robert J. Scott, who served with distinction overseas during the Second World War, being promoted to the rank of captain, has been appointed

governor of Hastings County Jail, at Belleville. Mrs. Scott has also been appointed matron, their term of office commencing August 1st.

Before and since his return from overseas duty Capt. Scott has held a position in the general store of F. N. Maret and Company, at Marmora, and has been popular with citizens in general.

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Sunday, August 8th, 1948
9.45 a.m.—West Huntingdon
11.00 a.m.—Union Service at St. Paul's

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. H. C. Vaclavik — Minister

Sunday, August 8th, 1948

11.00 a.m.—Bethel
2.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant
8.00 p.m.—Wellman's.

Everybody Welcome

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. R. W. Barker, M.A., S.T.B. Minister

Sunday, August 8th, 1948

11.00 a.m.—Union Service
Carmel Service withdrawn

GRACE CHAPEL
Sunday, August 8th, 1948

10.30 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2 p.m.—Gospel Bells Broadcast
8 p.m. Thursday — Prayer and Bible Study
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

Speaker: Geo. Butcher

gathering and gave a brief address. Miss Doris Donnan gave a reading. Following the business period, all enjoyed the winners prepared by Mrs. Don Haggerty and Mrs. Clayton Wright.

Mrs. Sandy McCurdy and Joan enjoyed a brief holiday recently with Mr. and Mrs. W. Cleland, of Deep River.

Members of the Rollins clan attended the annual reunion at Ivanhoe on Wednesday and those of the Post family assembled at Oak Lake on the same day.

Donna Brant, who has been making her home at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond's, is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

Rev. Harold Burgess made a number of pastoral calls in this community on Friday and was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carr.

Mrs. Tom Rollins, of Fuller, spent a few days recently with Mrs. Don Fargey.

Oak Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Park and Ralph were recent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bamber, Frankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patterson and Burton, of Clayton, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Westfall, Bayside, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Searlor.

Misses Wanda Hagerman, of New-castle, and Reta Patterson, of Clayton, N.Y., are holidaying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Searles.

Miss Joan Campbell is holidaying with relatives in Ottawa.

Mr. Harold Detlor had the misfortune to lose one of his best milch cows recently. It was hit by a passing motorist when being driven from the pasture for the morning milking. Some of the rest of the herd suffered minor injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wright and Lois and Mrs. Weese, of Belleville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lindenfield.

On July 18th Mrs. Ted Chant and Mrs. Wm. Bartindale were joint hostesses at an afternoon tea and sale of home cooking held on the beautifully shaded lawn of their home here. They were ably assisted by Mrs. Fred Kingstone. Lunch was served cafeteria style from a well stocked table and taken to small tables where groups of friends and neighbours rested, visited and enjoyed the scenery and refreshments all at the same time. The home cooking table could hardly be said to be well stocked as its supplies were rapidly depleted and reinforcements simply vanished almost before arriving! The afternoon netted over \$20.00 which was handed over to the treasurer of Chatterton W.M.S. The Society is duly appreciative of this splendid help.

Mr. and Mrs. Farley Lindenfield and Elaine attended the Sine-Mitts wedding yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mitts, Ridge Road.

Minto

Mrs. Mamie Morgan and granddaughter, Beverley Morgan, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. T. Heath, Wilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Broadworth and daughter spent the holiday week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Broadworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jackson entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Diamond, of Toronto; Mr. Sam Diamond, Campbellford; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hubble and family, Foxboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Brady, on Sunday.

St. Thomas' Anglican Sunday School held a very enjoyable picnic at Crystal Beach, Madoc, on Tuesday, July the twenty-seventh.

Glad to report Rev. Everson is able to be back again on the circuit.

Mr. and Mrs. George McMaster and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bateman, Springbrook, left on Wednesday for a month's visit to the Western Provinces.

Mrs. Wm. Warren, Kingston, has returned home after spending a week visiting relatives in our vicinity.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Lorne Hagerman is gaining after her recent minor operation.

Mrs. Janie Sine and Miss Gail Sine are spending a couple of weeks in Madoc.

Mrs. A. J. Edwards and Marilyn have returned home to Creighton Mines, after spending a month visiting friends in this community.

Wellmans

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cooper, of Con-recon, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Haggerty and Marlene and Mrs. Alice Lain.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Dunlop, Toronto, spent the week-end holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott and Miss Betty Hull.

Mrs. Burrell Fanning, Miss Mary Faguing and Mrs. Wm. Green, Belle-

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On Sunday morning at Mount Pleasant, Rev. H. C. Vaclavik, the new minister for Rawdon Circuit, preached his initial sermon to approximately one hundred worshippers on the theme "Christ Reigns." Miss Ruth Linn delighted with a vocal solo.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutan and Marie, of Kingston, are holidaying for a couple of weeks with Mrs. Rutan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine. They were welcome visitors at the morning service at Mount Pleasant.

Mrs. G. F. Spencer attended the funeral of Mrs. J. A. Connell, at Belleville, on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Connell spent a few years on Rawdon Circuit while her husband, the late Rev. J. A. Connell served as minister here.

Miss Ruth Linn spent last week at Oak Lake, the guest of Mrs. Harold Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy White, Brantford, spent the week-end with the for-

mer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White. They attended service at Mount Pleasant Sunday morning and Percy was delighted to meet his old friends and schoolmates.

Mrs. Allan Livingstone, Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes.

Several friends attended the funeral of the late Friend Whitton at Carmel United Church.

Misses Joan and Beverly Holmes, of Madoc, are holidaying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Elam Wescott, Oshawa, spent the week-end with relatives in Sidney and district.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Vaclavik took up residence in Rawdon Parsonage last week and this week they are moving their household effects from their apartment in Toronto.

Mrs. Kenneth Weaver and her sister, Miss Wilma Telford, of Peterborough, are holidaying in Detroit.

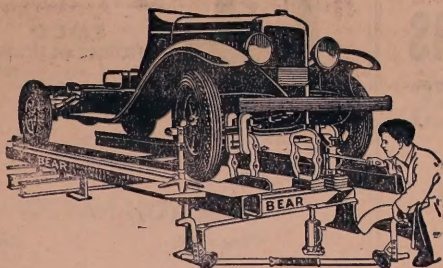
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burkitt, of Bon-

West Huntingdon

A large percentage of the farmers have finished cutting their grain and while no threshing has yet been done the general opinion is that the yield will be good. The hay harvest has been exceptionally good and every piece of machinery that was ever invented was called in to assist from the ordinary methods to the very latest, including the buck rake and balers. Already many fields have been plowed for fall grain, the recent rains making plowing easy.

Young People's Union

The Young People's Union held the annual wicker roast at Balm Beach on Mr. Don Haggerty's farm on Friday evening. A large number were in attendance. Mr. Alex McCurdy presided over the programme, including a sing-song led by Miss Joan McCurdy, Scripture reading by Mr. Bob Gay and prayer by Arthur Wilson. A duet by Margaret Haggerty and Joan McCurdy added much to the programme. Rev. Harold Burgess was introduced to the



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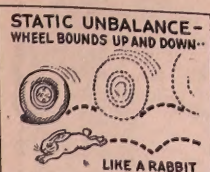
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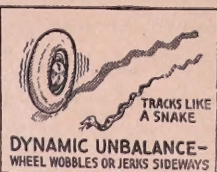
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WHITTON—At Frankford, on Wednesday, July 28th, Hector McLean Whitton, in his 72nd year. Interment in English Line Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hagerman and family wish to thank their many friends and neighbours for acts of kindness, flowers and cards received during the death of a kind and loving mother and grandmother. 42-1p

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. George White and Mildred wish to acknowledge with grateful appreciation the many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy extended to them by friends and neighbours during the short illness and death of a kind and loving mother and grandmother. 42-1p

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all my friends and neighbors, St. Paul's W.A. for flowers, cards, letters, boxes of fruit and personal calls; also Rev. R. W. Barker and Mr. Eastman during my illness. 42-1p Mrs. Janet Utman

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who so kindly remembered me with flowers, cards, fruit and personal calls during my stay in Belleville Hospital, I wish to express my sincere thanks. 42-1p Billy Fitchett

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. S. A. Hatton and family wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to their relatives, friends and neighbours for their many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and floral tributes extended to them during their recent bereavement. 42-1

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends and neighbours who have remembered me in so many ways since my accident; also L.O.L. No. 509 and R.B.P., Wellman's Corners. 42-1 Wm. J. Preston

AN APPRECIATION

To all those kind friends and neighbours who assisted me in the preparations for my sale and the ladies who served lunch following the sale, I wish to express my sincerest thanks and appreciation. Clifford Sharp

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and neighbours for gifts, cards and personal calls during my stay in Belleville Hospital, especially the Two-by-Two Club for basket of fruit, also a very sincere "thank you" to all who assisted in harvesting my hay crop and helping with farm chores. 42-1 Norman McConnell

In Memoriam

MASON—Treasured memories of a dear wife and mother, Clara Jane Mason, who died suddenly August 6th, 1945:

 Days of sadness still come o'er us,
 Tears in silence often flow;
 For memory keeps you ever near us,
 Though you died three years ago.
 — Lovingly remembered by husband and family. 42-1p

REID—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Aclie A. Reid, who passed away July 20th, 1943. Five years have passed since that day,

 The one we loved was called away.
 God took him home, it was His will,
 But in our hearts, he liveth still.
 — Lovingly remembered by wife, daughters Marvel, Pearl and Ruth and sons, Morley and Malcolm. 42-1p

Tenders Wanted

Sealed Tenders, plainly marked as to contents will be received by the undersigned up until 12.00 noon Thursday, August 12th, 1948, for:

 1. The erection of farm fence on the Campbellford-Hoard's Station Road
 2. For the supply of cedar fence posts in the following sizes:

 (1) 5" top x 8 ft. long.
 (2) 8" top x 8 ft. 6 in. long.
 (3) 6" top x 12 ft. long.
 delivered to Campbellford-Hoard's Station Road.

Information and Tender Forms available from the undersigned.

Tenders must be submitted on forms supplied.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be accompanied by a marked cheque for 5% of the total estimated bid.

 Counties' Engineer & Road Supt.
 J. M. Jordan,
 Cobourg, Ontario

Tax Notice

RAWDON TOWNSHIP

All 1947 Rawdon Township Taxes must be paid on or before September 1st, 1948.

 By Order Rawdon Council,
 42-1 W. L. Pollock, Collector

Springbrook

Mr. Roy Lough, Toronto, is spending two weeks' vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lough and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lough.

Miss Carol Tanner, of Toronto, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Mumby.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Reid and Janet enjoyed a motor trip to Hamilton and Guelph last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bateman and Mr. and Mrs. George McMaster left on Wednesday for an extended motor trip through western Canada.

Mrs. W. A. Flavell and Wayne spent Sunday with relatives at Bloomfield and Picton.

Miss Doris Thompson and Mrs. Joe Thompson, of Toronto, spent the week end and holiday at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Benson and Lloyd, of Toronto, are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McKeown and Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Fleming, Alex and Edmund, are camping at Belmont Lake this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Austin, of Toronto, are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mumby and family, of Montreal, spent last week with relatives in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Forsyth, of Peterboro, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Forsyth.

Family Honoured By Community

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sandercock and family were surprised Friday night by a party of old friends who called to bid adieu on the eve of their departure from the County of Hastings Home.

An address read by Mrs. James Garbutt expressed the admiration and appreciation of all who saw the unselfish and efficient administration this family have devoted in their nineteen years of service to the helpless old people and their friends.

For a remembrance gift of this occasion, a waffle iron was presented and with sincere wishes for a happy future for the Sandercock family all left with assurances of their loyal friendship in whichever walk in life they choose.—Ontario-Intelligencer.

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Distinguished British Visitors Tour Institutes

Women's Institutes of Ontario are this Summer being visited by prominent officials of the Federated Women's Institutes of England and Wales. One of the outstanding visitors has been Lady Howarth, of the Chester Federation of Women's Institutes, England, who after an extensive tour of Ontario Institutes, has gone to the United States to visit similar organizations there.

While in Ontario, Lady Howarth was a guest of Mrs. Angus Jackson, Stoney Creek, and was entertained by the Mother Institute there. In her itinerary she attended the District Annual meetings of the Women's Institutes in Northwestern Ontario, and took part in the following meetings — For Thunder Bay, at South Gillies; for Kenora at Wabigoon; for Rainy River East, at McVine; for Rainy River West, at Stratton; for Rainy River Centre at Barnhart. Lady Howarth then went on to Manitoba to attend the convention of Women's Institutes for that Province.

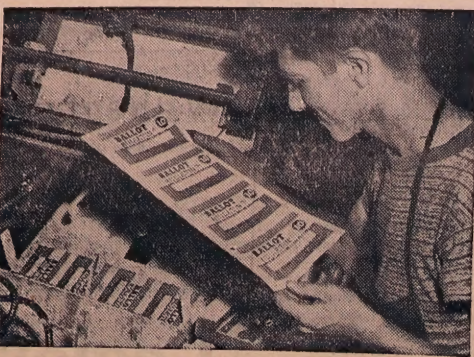
Another important visitor, now in Ontario, is Mrs. Ida Balne, Hertfordshire W.I., England, executive member, and a volunteer organizer of Women's Institutes in England. Mrs. Balne has already visited Women's Institutes in Simcoe and York Counties, and will visit other counties during the weeks listed as follows: August 2, Norfolk; August 9, Elgin; August 16, Kent; August 23, Essex; August 30, Wellington; September 6, Hastings; September 13, Glengarry. After completing her tour, she will sail for England on September 25.

1299 Delegates to Liberal Convention August 5-7 Will Choose New Leader, Build New Party Platform

OTTAWA—To elect a new Leader of the Liberal Party, and to build a new party platform, 1299 delegates with 840 alternates will come here from all over Canada for the third national Liberal convention to be held August 5-7.

The delegates who vote on questions put to the floor will, in a sense, represent the twelve millions of people of the Dominion. The delegation which will vote will comprise all Liberal M.P.'s and men and women who were Liberal candidates of the last federal election. There will be 735 delegates proper from the constituencies in the nine provinces, and 735 alternates. The Senate will be represented by 62; provincial representatives will total 140; there will be 12 national and provincial Liberal association presidents. Representation of provincial Liberal associations will be impressive. There will be 27 from women's associations; 27 from young Liberal associations; 51 from university Liberal clubs.

Public and party interest, of course, will center upon selection of the man who will follow Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King as Leader of the Liberal Party and as next Prime Minister of Canada. That election will be an out-in-the-open affair. Nominations will be thrown open and there will be no restriction as to the number of people who may be proposed and seconded for the balloting. The balloting itself will take place on the last day of the convention and will be accompanied by every known device to insure that the votes truly express the free will of the delegates. The ballot forms were printed two weeks ago; and upon their arrival were stored in a safety vault by a group of officials of the National Convention Committee. Just before the balloting is due at the convention, these ballots will be taken from the vault—again by several officials of the Convention Committee—and



THESE BALLOT PAPERS, being printed for the National Liberal Convention to be held in Ottawa, August 5-7, will decide who shall succeed Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King as Leader of the Liberal Party. The printing, collating and stitching of these ballot papers which later were transported to a safety vault in Ottawa, there to remain until taken under guard to the floor of the Convention for use by 1299 delegates.

transported under guard to the Coliseum. There, under the eye of officially appointed returning officers and scrutineers, the ballots will be opened and distributed to the voting delegates. After each vote, the counting will be done also under the eyes of scrutineers.

The Convention, the third which the Liberal Party has held since Confederation, will bring to Ottawa more than 3,000 Party members. At the Coliseum, where sessions will take place, there will be ample accommodation for the public in addition to delegates.

The official programme follows: August 4—Registration.

August 5—Registration; Convention opens; official address of welcome; election of Convention officials; appointment of committees; adoption of rules of procedure; speeches by representative Liberals; committee sessions.

August 6—Reports from committees; speeches by representative Liberals; general business; election of scrutineers and tellers.

August 7—Reports from committees; speeches by representative Liberals; reading of rules governing voting procedure; reporting of nominations of candidates for Party leadership; election of Liberal leader.

Appointments Are Made of County Home Economists

With a number of new appointments of County Home Economists, the staff of the Women's Institute Branch and Home Economics Service responsible for Junior Work has been strengthened considerably. Four new appointees have already taken over their duties. They are as follows:—

Miss Anne Jackson, B.H.Sc., graduate of the University of Toronto, of Downsview, Ontario. Miss Jackson is a farm daughter, and was active in Homemaking Club work and the Velore Junior Institute.

Miss Lucille Barber, B.H.Sc., graduate in Home Economics from the University of Manitoba.

Miss Dorothy Adams, B.H.Sc., and Miss Anne P. Kernabegeun, B.H.Sc., both graduates in Home Economics from the University of Saskatchewan.

These new appointees will be assigned to counties for duty in the near future. Two other County Home Economists, Miss Neva George and Miss Frances G. Wilson, graduates from the University of Manitoba, have also been appointed, and are expected to take up their duties in August. These new home economists will also be assigned to counties, and these additions to the staff will make possible more effective work in the Homemaking Clubs and Junior Institutes.

Cobourg History Now In Print

The first copies of the History of Cobourg are now in print.

It is a complete history of some 250 pages, covering Cobourg from 150 years ago until the present. It is in a paper cover edition and also a deluxe bound edition, and the book contains features written by Edwin C. Guillet, Cobourg boy and well-known author on Canadian history, as well as articles by Murray Smith, Edith Kerr Macdonnell, Fred Field, William Riddell, and others.

It is profusely illustrated with photographs gathered from many sources, some of them rare pictures of Cobourg scenes never before published. More than 375 illustrations and portraits adorn its pages and also some fine pen drawings by Frank Taylor, local artist. Editor-in-Chief is Margery Petwres of the B. and P. Club.

MANGELS FOR FOOD

Greater attention will be given to the production of mangels for human consumption in Germany, where a process which removes the bitter taste and pungent smell of the mangel has been developed. The root has a higher calorific yield per acre than either potatoes or turnips, and the foliage can be used for silage, thus increasing the crop value by about 30-35 per cent. The treated mangels may be used as vegetables, processing into marmalade, or into flour suitable for blending with wheat flour in the proportion of 20 to 35 per cent.

WINTER A DIM PROSPECT

With the high prices of coal and fuel oil, next winter offers little attraction, says the Tweed News, but to discourage us still more, it is reported that there will be the greatest butter shortage in history. And that's not bad enough news, but the Ontario Hydro foresees dim-out regulations over the whole province more stringent than last year. If atomic energy can control the weather, we're willing to let the scientists experiment with a synthetic winter heat wave about January 1st, 1949.

District Fall Fair Dates

The official and complete list of dates for fall fairs and exhibitions has now been completed and printed by the Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture. Persons desiring copies can secure them by writing to the above branch at the Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

The dates of a number of district fairs are as follows:

Peterborough	Aug. 25-28
Brighton	Aug. 31-Sept. 1
Napanee	Aug. 30-Sept. 1
Coe Hill	Sept. 7-8
Wooler	Sept. 7-8
Deseronto (Reserve)	Sept. 15
Marmora	Sept. 15-16
Stirling	Sept. 17-18
Tweed	Sept. 14-15
Campbellford	Sept. 22-23
Kingston	Sept. 23-25
Lindsay	Sept. 21-25
Pictou	Sept. 23-29
Warkworth	Sept. 30-Oct. 1
Madoc	Oct. 5-6
Roseneath	Oct. 7-8
Norwood	Oct. 9 & 11

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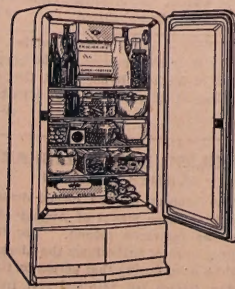
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Time was when farm buying was more limited, when farmhouse furnishings were more meagre. The change is due directly to the increase in the buying power of farm families.

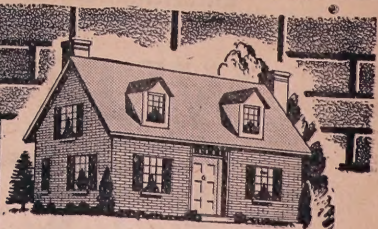
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Hello Homemakers! Enjoyment of the few minutes we can spare to relax during the busy hot weather days is more complete with a tall, cool drink. There are many commercially packaged mixtures available which make the preparation very simple. On the other hand look in the refrigerator for leftover fruit juices to make your own combination.

We believe that the more tartness there is to a brisk drink, the more cooling it is. Lemon juice, grapefruit juice or rhubarb juice are effective refreshing ingredients.

Recalling the days when raspberry vinegar was made at home with the soft berries, and bottled fruit juice was put away for the thrashers, we submit the old stand-by recipes:

Raspberry Vinegar

6 quarts red raspberries
2 pints vinegar
1½ cups water
Sugar
Crush berries. Combine vinegar and water. Pour over berries and leave to stand overnight. Strain and measure. Add 1 cup sugar for each cup of liquid. Bring to boil for 20 minutes. Bottle and seal.

Rhubarb Punch

1 quart diced rhubarb
1 quart water
2 cups sugar
½ cup orange juice
½ cup lemon juice
1 quart soda water
Combine rhubarb, water and sugar. Stew until tender. Strain through a very fine sieve. Chill. Add fruit juices and chill thoroughly. Add soda water and crushed ice just before serving. Yields about 2½ quarts.

Mint Julep

1½ cups sugar syrup
6 stalks fresh mint
2 tablespoons lemon juice
½ cup grapefruit juice
1 cup ice water
2 cups ginger ale

Heat syrup, add the crushed leaves of mint and let stand half hour. Strain. Add fruit juices and chill in electric refrigerator. Just before serving add ginger ale. Serve in tall glasses with crushed ice and a sprig of mint.

Fruit Juices

Wash sound, well-ripened fruit thoroughly, drain, crush. Prepare small quantities. Avoid over-cooking. Heat to simmering for several minutes. Extract juice in fruit, by straining through several layers of cheesecloth. If desired, add sugar—½ to 1 cup per gallon of juice. Heat to simmering point, fill hot sterilized containers to within 1-8 inch of top of glass jars or cans, and within 1 inch of bottle rims. Seal. If bottles are used, lay in water bath. Process at boiling point for 15 minutes.

THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. T. J. asks how to pasteurize milk at the cottage.

Answer:

HOME PASTEURIZATION

For large quantities — Filled bottles of milk, with a dairy thermometer inserted through the cap of one bottle, are placed in a deep kettle (preserving pan) in cold water about one inch from their tops. Heat is applied and when the thermometer reading reaches 145 degrees F. keep heat moderate for 30 minutes. Cool quickly for best flavor.

For small quantities — Heat in a double boiler to 145 degs. as indicated by dairy thermometer; hold at that temperature in the covered pan for 30 minutes. Then cool quickly in several pans of cold water.

You may bring milk quickly to boiling point, stirring constantly, then cool immediately to assure safety from harmful bacteria, but sometimes the flavour is not as good since milk scorches easily.

Miss M. S. suggests:

- (1) In hot weather use more salt in your diet.
- (2) Be sure your water supply is pure at this time of year.

What Others Say!

INCOME TAX EVILS

(Vancouver Province)
When it was young and its schedules were low, the Canadian income tax was a good tax.

It was a simple and equitable tax. It raised a satisfactory amount of revenue, it could be understood by all who paid it and it was not so heavy as to be burdensome. During the war its weight was increased enormously but people endured it because of the war. Now in the peace, they are not disposed to endure it so meekly and its evils are becoming apparent.

It is definitely discouraging industry. It makes saving difficult and from saving comes the capital fund which keeps enterprise going. It discourages investment for profit because it takes the fruits of investment away. It induces the workman to sit down and figure whether he shall work six days a week or four—whether he shall take the satisfaction from his work in dollars, which lead to production, or some of it in leisure, which leads to no production at all.

ECONOMY NEEDED

(Brockville Recorder-Times)
Mr. Abbott thinks that the government rather than parliament should have the responsibility for reducing public expenditures. A good many people don't much care who cuts them as long as they are cut. France has managed to get rid of 150,000 civil servants. Who knows how many we could remove from the public payroll, without loss of efficiency if we tackled the problem in earnest?

NATIONAL LOSS

(Montreal Gazette)
Our best brains are still being exported to the United States and one of the reasons is the higher income tax in Canada. The core of the loss of Canadian citizens lies in the middle income groups and not in the lowest brackets. It is the young professional worker of the young business executive, who has already passed these comparatively low salary scales, who begins looking southwards and who also begins to realize the comparatively higher Canadian tax demands. Yet these represent our best trained and

most energetic class, which is capable of giving the country a high quality of service and leadership.

LOOKS LIKE A FEEBLE EXCUSE

(The Canadian Statesman)

It is widely admitted that present-day radio regulations leave the door wide open for political abuse. Licenses are granted or denied by a Board of Governors which is, without doubt, composed of extremely fine men and women; but these are, nevertheless, appointed by the Government-of-the-Day, and removable by the same body. Rules and regulations are laid down and administered by the same Board. This is an intolerable situation in a democracy, whether abused or not. It has been pointed out many times that our radio set-up paves the way nicely for some future totalitarian-minded government to perpetuate itself in power.

To date the only excuse given for not correcting this situation is the fallible argument that if a totalitarian regime took over in Ottawa it would change the law anyway, and use radio for its political purposes. Certainly the majority of Canadians will not swallow such a sorry excuse. They are not prepared to go on paying high tax tributes to a set-up which would delight the heart of any dictator. Further, it is a psychological fact that creating the conditions of state-domination over a wide field of endeavour is certainly speeding the day when actual Statism could rule the roost in Canada.

Consistently-Steady Drivers Save On Gas Mileage Survey Discloses

Drivers who are interested in saving money on gasoline can get some valuable tips from a survey just completed by the Packard Motor Car Company, with the co-operation of over 1,600 dealers in every part of the country.

The survey shows gasoline mileage varies with individual driving habits, traffic conditions, terrain and temperature, according to William H. Graves, executive engineer.

"The survey covered more than 1,000 new owners," he said. "Of those driving our most popular model, 24 per cent reported 18 miles to the gallon; 18.5 per cent, 20 miles; 15.8 per cent, 17 miles; 13.6 per cent, 19 miles; 9.6 per cent, 16 miles; 7.1 per cent, 21 miles; 5.9 per cent, 15 miles or less, and 5.1 per cent, 22 miles or more."

Individual driving habits cause more mileage variations than any other factor, Graves said.

"The owners reporting 18 miles or more to the gallon are consistently steady drivers," he explained. "They travel at moderate speeds and accelerate gradually. Most of their driving is on level roads and in light traffic."

"Those reporting 15 miles or less drive mostly in heavy traffic, accelerate rapidly and favor high speeds, all of which eat up gasoline. Erratic driving also is hard on fuel."

The survey was supplemented with a controlled test of two 130-horsepower cars. Moving at a steady speed and with no stops or sprint-accelerations, both cars averaged 19 miles to the gallon.

Then, both cars were nosed on to an 18-mile course. The driver of Car "A" was instructed to drive at a uniform speed for 18 miles over a traffic-free highway, without stopping. The driver of Car "B" was instructed to drive in a tortoise-and-hare fashion, coming to a dead stop every half mile for 10 seconds and then accelerating at high speed to catch up with Car "A".

Both cars came to the finish line at the same time.

Car "A" still averaged 19 miles to the gallon; Car "B", approximately half of that.

"The difference adds up to real money in a year of driving," Graves pointed out.

Elephants Can Be Smart And Also Very Stupid

Martin Johnson credited elephants with a telepathic ability. But whatever it is, it certainly works. David Blunt passed downwind of a herd one day as he was returning from a hunt near the Matundo river, in the Belgian Congo. He turned and saw two elephant calves move across the path he'd taken. They stopped at his footprints, ran their trunks over the ground like vacuum cleaners, then ran to their mothers; the mothers returned to the trail with the calves, sniffed then rounded up the whole herd and took off. Obviously that required some means of communication.



C.P.A. TO FLY ATLANTIC:— Canadian Pacific Air Lines has been granted permission for regular passenger and cargo flights on the two trans-Pacific routes shown in the above map, adding a total of 14,420 route miles to Canada's international air services. Now on order for the routes are pressurized four-engine Canadian planes, with a capacity of 40 passengers and three tons of cargo, mail or express. They will be manned by experienced trans-ocean C.P.A. pilots — Canadian Pacific inaugurated wartime transatlantic bomber delivery flights

in 1940 and many of its pilots later flew four years with the Ferry Command and have since returned to the company. Operational and servicing headquarters will be at Vancouver with the C.P.A.'s domestic overhaul work, now being carried out there, being transferred to Edmonton. Canadian Pacific, experienced in trans-Pacific travel since 1886, already has an extensive traffic organization in the countries the new flights will serve, which places it in a position to start operations with a minimum of delay and with no wasteful expenditure of Canadian dollars abroad. Regular

flights will probably start by next Summer.

It is felt that an early start is essential if the Dominion's position in the field of Oriental trade, as well as international air transport, is to be developed and maintained. From Vancouver to Sydney, by way of Honolulu, Canton Island and Fiji is 7,865 miles, and the Great Circle route Vancouver-Kodiak-Shemya Island-Tokyo-Shanghai-Hong Kong is 6,555 miles. New Zealand will be served with a branch service joining the through Vancouver-Sydney route at Fiji.

There's no question about the elephant being smart enough to fool people. His brain is a marvelous thinking machine. He is the only animal known that can be taken in the adult wild state and be completely broken to domesticity in a year's time. Domestic elephants are constantly outsmarting their trainers.

For instance, the best cure for a slight elephant cold is a bucket of gin and ginger. Once he's had this, the elephant, who would be a confirmed drunkard if he had the chance, has been known to spend days groaning

and faking more cramps just to get another bucket of gin.

Even trickier is his subterfuge when taking sugar coated pills, which mahouts prepare for him against heat stroke. At first bite, the elephant tastes the bitter interior. But he won't spit it out because he knows the mahout will go for help and cram the stuff down his throat.

He tucks the pill in his cheek and makes a great to-do over chewing, jaws going like mad. Then, when he thinks the mahout has lost interest, he swings his head aside, flips his

trunk over his back and blows — as though chasing bothering flies. The pill, meanwhile, is spit as far to the rear as possible.

Of course, elephants have been known to do some dumb things, too. One scientist tells how he disrupted a herd with a single shot. All but two elephants lumbered off. Those two stood stock-still, behind a tree, not moving a hair. "Obviously," noted the scientist, "like ostriches, they had the quaint idea that if they kept still behind that skinny tree I wouldn't see them."

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Hector McLean Whitton died at his home in Frankford on Wednesday last, July 28th, after an illness of about one

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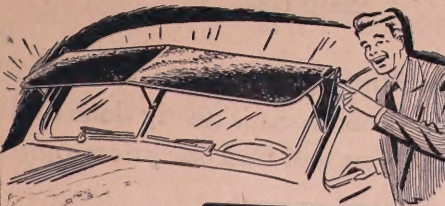
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township and for the past year he made his home in Frankford. In religion he was a member of Carmel United Church.

Surviving him are his wife, the former Frances Thompson; two daughters, Mrs. Alex (Jessie) Haig, Springbrook, and Mrs. Harold (Alice) Fry, of Campbellford; two brothers, William James Whitton, of Markham, and Geo. Richard Whitton, of Detroit, Mich.; three sisters, Mrs. Cynthia Tice, Belleville; Mrs. Carrie B. Morris, Brandon, Man., and Mrs. Thomas (Ethel) McCaughen, of Stirling; two grandchildren, Margaret Fry and Stewart Haig.

The funeral took place from his late residence on Friday at two o'clock to Carmel United Church, Rawdon, for service at three o'clock, conducted by Rev. H. H. Lackey, of Frankford. During the service Mrs. Harry Orr and Mrs. Norman Nelson sang "Where We Will Never Grow Old."

The pallbearers were Messrs. Oscar Merrick, Percy Hubble, Clarence Sealey, Harry McAdam, Arthur Couch and Charlie Hoard. Flower bearers were Messrs. George Montgomery, William Spencer, Harry Hagerman, Bob Merrick, Harvey Couch and Clifford Hubble.

Interment in English Line Cemetery, Seymour township.

MRS. JOHN LONG

The death occurred suddenly on July 3rd of Sarah Jane Long, at her home on the Frankford Road. A daughter of the late John McCormick and Hanorah Walsh, she was born in Murray Township, Northumberland County, and had resided in this community all her life. She was a member of St. Peter-in-Chains Church, the Catholic Women's League and the League of the Sacred Heart.

The funeral on Tuesday, July 6th, was held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. McDonnell, 158 Dundas St. W., to St. Peter-in-Chains Church, where she had been an active worker for many years. Solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. A. L. O'Donnell, assisted by Very Rev. J. V. McCauley, Lindsay, as deacon and Rev. L. Rishia, Wooler, as subdeacon.

She is survived by seven daughters and two sons, Mrs. J. J. McDonnell (Helena), Trenton; Mrs. G. E. Finnegan, (Bernadette) Frankford; Mrs. G. J. Burke (Marguerite), Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. T. P. Finnegan (Kathleen) Capreol; Mrs. John Monaghan (Stella), Detroit, Mich.; Frank, of Stirling; Mrs. D. Scott (Norah), Stirling; Harry, of Glen Miller, and Mrs. E. Klawein (Veronica), Milwaukee, Wis.; also sur-

living are two sisters, Sister M. Joachim, House of Providence, Toronto; Mrs. Thomas Corbett, Brighton, and one brother, Mr. Hugh McCormick, of Trenton; also 18 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Her husband predeceased her in 1942.

The pallbearers were three grandsons and three nephews, Leonard McDonnell, Gerald McDonnell, Jack Finnegan, John McCormick, Gerald Long and Harold Corbett. Interment was in Mount Calvary Cemetery, where Rev. A. L. O'Donnell said the prayers, assisted by Very Rev. J. V. McCauley and Rev. F. L. Rishia.—Trenton Courier-Advocate.

Bateman Reunion

About 175 members of the Bateman family held their annual reunion and picnic at Tweed Memorial Park recently.

After the picnic dinner, a sports program had been arranged for the children and prizes were given for the various races: Mrs. Jos. Bateman, Belleville, won the prize for the oldest person present, and the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Mouch, Tweed won the prize for the youngest in attendance. Mrs. W. J. Edwards, of Sudbury, was the prize winner for having travelled the longest distance.

Marsh Hill

Miss Gena Vanderwater is spending her vacation at Camp at Moira Lake. Mr. Ralph Campbell, Ottawa, was a week-end and holiday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tice Clare and daughters, Elinor and Alison, of Toronto, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Berson Mitts and family.

Mr. Don Bleeker, of Montreal, spent a recent week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bleeker.

Mr. Harold Patterson, of Toronto, spent a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. B. Mitts and Master Melville Patterson is spending the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Frederick and family, of Guelph, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. Bleeker and Miss Joan remained to spend a couple of weeks more with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bleeker spent a recent Sunday with friends at Indian River.

Raymond Ross has been spending a couple of weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John McMullen, at Harold.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Tanner spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heasman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rowe, Warkworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dafee, Carmel, and Mrs. Wm. Cole, Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Hollinger on Monday.

Mrs. Harold White, of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Mrs. Ferne Spencer, Foxboro, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hollinger.

There will be no Sunday School or Church Service in Marsh Hall Church until August 22nd, as Rev. A. L. Shorten is on vacation.

And the voice of the thrasher is heard throughout the land.

Miss Riet Miskelly, R.N., of Ottawa Civic Hospital, and Mr. Bernard Miskelly, of Smiths Falls, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. Hollinger. Miss Miskelly was also a winner at the Kiwanis' Bingo, a lovely overnight bag being her "bag."

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Report of Tax Collector Shows Prompt Payment of First Instalment

Council Makes Grant Of \$150 To Fair Board — To Increase Theatre Admission

The majority of Stirling property owners paid the first instalment of their taxes on time, according to the report presented by R. B. Bell, tax collector, at the regular meeting of Council on Monday night. With Saturday, August 7th, being the final date for payment of the first instalment of the 1948 taxes, Mr. Bell had collected \$11,136.20, leaving the arrears at \$501.26. In addition Mr. Bell collected over two thousand dollars on the second instalment due in December next from citizens who were anxious to get the matter of their 1948 taxes completely off their mind. In the opinion of members of Council this is a splendid thing for the village and will make financing for the remainder of the year much easier.

Correspondence tabled by Clerk G. H. Luery included a questionnaire from H. A. Small, District Municipal Engineer, re streets; a request for a donation to Stirling Agricultural Society from E. D. Ketcheson, secretary, and a letter from the County officials advising that Stirling's County taxes for 1948 amounted to \$4,640.74.

The matter of the proposed street repairs and surfacing will be discussed by the Streets Committee before the District Engineer's questionnaire is answered.

The annual grant to the Agricultural Society was discussed at some length, Councillor Bradshaw speaking in favour of an increase over last year's grant to assist this worthy community organization. His appeal was supported by Councillor Elliott and Council agreed to make this year's grant \$150. The use of the Theatre was also granted the Fair Board on Saturday night, Sept. 18th, the last day (Continued on page eight)

"Lumber Kings" In O.A.S.A. Playdowns

Stirling "Lumber Kings," current leaders in the Centre Hastings Softball League will enter the intermediate "C" O.A.S.A. playdowns against Wooler, who were eliminated in the finals last year, next week.

The first game will be played in Trinton, on Monday evening next, August 16th, and the return game here on Wednesday evening, August 18th, at the Recreational Field. If a third game is necessary, it is expected it will be played in Stirling.

This is the first year that a local team has entered the provincial playdowns and the district fans will be pulling for them to come up with a victory over the snappy Wooler aggregation on Monday night.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bradshaw, of Stirling, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Reta Ilene, to Mr. Ross Carleton (Earl) Dafeo, son of Mr. Lloyd Dafeo and the late Mrs. Dafeo, of Stirling, the marriage to take place at St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, on Saturday, September 4th, at 2 p.m.

Breaks Light Standard

On Friday last a truck owned by R. G. Paul, of Napanee, and driven by Frank Weaver, backed into a street light standard, on Mill St., breaking it off at its base. Fortunately the standard did not upset or it would have gone through the plate glass of Bartlett's Grocery and caused greater damage.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carr spent the tea hour with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stapley on Thursday.

Mrs. Kenneth Tompkins and daughters, Janet and Jean, spent the tea hour on Thursday last under the parental roof.

Miss Margaret Wilson, of Fonthill, Ont., is a guest this week of Misses Mary Agnes and Doreen Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis at Bob's Lake, near Tichborne.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bradburn, of Kingston, spent Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stinson.

Mrs. John Duncan, of Toronto, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hulin.

Mrs. Joseph Phillips has returned to her home in Belleville, after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Frank Stapley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hatton spent a few days at "Camelachie," Lake Huron, guests of Dr. and Mrs. P. V. Girven, of Detroit, Mich.

Miss Marion Richardson, who has been a patient in a Hamilton Hospital, for some time, returned home on July 26th.

Stirling and district friends of Mrs. J. R. Beatty will be sorry to learn that she is seriously ill at her home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Oddie Coutts, of Trenton, were Tuesday guests of Mrs. C. A. MacConnell.

Mrs. Neta Kincald, Mr. Horace Kurshaw and Miss Lenora Dane, of Hamilton, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rodgers.

Mrs. A. N. Dodwell, of Oshawa, spent Tuesday evening with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Rodgers, Mr. Rodgers and family before leaving for England.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Holden and little son, of Sarnia, spent last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden, Front Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Perkin, of Vancouver, were guests this week of their nephew, Mr. C. E. Macklin, and Mrs. Macklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tulloch and Ruth, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden spent Wednesday with friends at Concession.

Miss Helen Stinson has returned home, after spending a week with Miss Gena Vandewater at the cottage,

UPPER SCHOOL RESULTS AT LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL

James Bailey — Eng. Comp. C; Alg. C; Bot. C; Phy. C; Chem. C; Fr. Auth. C; Fr. Comp. 3rd.

Kenneth Black — Eng. Comp. 3rd; Eng. Lit. C; Alg. 2nd; Geom. 1st; Trig. 2nd; Zool. C; Phy. 3rd; Chem. 1st; Fr. Comp. C; Fr. Auth. C.

Gerald Bush — Alg. C; Geom. 2nd; Bot. C; Zool. C; Phy. C; Chem. C; Fr. Comp. C.

Joan McCurdy — Eng. Comp. 2nd; Eng. Lit. C; Alg. C; Geom. C; Trig. C; Bot. C; Zool. C; Fr. Auth. C; Fr. Comp. 3rd.

Shirley Preston — Eng. Comp. 2nd; Alg. C; Fr. Comp. 2nd; Fr. Auth. C.

Dora Rodgers — Eng. Comp. 1st; Eng. Lit. C; Hist. C; Bot. C; Zool. C; Fr. Comp. C.

Grant Stapley — Geom. 3rd; Trig. C; Phy. C; Chem. 3rd; Fr. Auth. C; Fr. Comp. C.

Vivian Welbourn — Eng. Comp. 3rd; Eng. Lit. C; Hist. 3rd; Geom. C; Trig. C; Bot. 3rd; Zool. 2nd; Chem. 1st; Fr. Auth. 2nd; Fr. Comp. 3rd.

Won Scholarship

Ralph Campbell, of Marsh Hill, received word recently from University of Toronto that he had been awarded a War Memorial Scholarship of \$150. Ralph is a graduate of the Stirling High School and his many friends in this district will be pleased to learn of his success and extend hearty congratulations.

Friends and Neighbours Bid 'Adieu' To Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow

An eventful evening took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow when the neighbours and friends of the community came to bid them "adieu" on the eve of their departure for Stirling, and to extend best wishes for continued happiness in their new home.

Mr. John Donohue very capably performed the duties of master of ceremonies and in his fine address and usual wit expressed the appreciation of the Valley for the kindly interest and cooperation of Mr. and Mrs. Morrow in the many community activities during their long residence.

Community singing with Mrs. Harry Morrow at the piano, in which all heartily joined, prepared the way to a short and bright programme.

Contributions to the enjoyment of the evening were various fine selections on the Hammond electric organ by Miss Gladys Bly and Mrs. Harry Morrow; an appropriate reading on "Friendship," by Mrs. Don Donohue, and a pleasing piano solo by Miss Marjorie Bush. Fitting remarks and good wishes were tendered by some of the neighbours present, with a number of reminiscences of the good old days spent in River Valley.

As a final gesture of good will, Mrs. Ernest Carr furnished and delivered the following address:

Stirling, Ont.
July 26th, 1948

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Morrow:—
We, your friends and neighbours of River Valley, are gathered here this evening to try and express to some slight degree at least not only the deep affection we have for you both but also our appreciation and gratitude for the great interest you have taken in our community work.

I am sure to tell you how we regret the fact that you are leaving us, but we are all happy to know that you will be near and able to return to River Valley whenever it is possible for you to do so.

Although you are moving from our midst, we will ever cherish your friendship and always hold dear memories of your life with us.

Long, long be our hearts with such memories filled,
Like the vase in which roses have once been distilled
You may break, you may shatter the vase if you will,
But the scent of the roses will hang round it still.

We ask you to accept these gifts as a remembrance along with our good wishes for your health and a most happy future.

Signed on behalf of the community
Dick Chard, Jack Sager, Alex Bush, Ernest Carr.

STIRLING BOWLERS WIN TOP HONOURS AT CAMPBELLFORD

Members of Stirling Bowling Club fared well at the mixed rinks tournament held in Campbellford yesterday afternoon. W. T. Elliott and his rink captured high honours for the day with three wins, while R. E. Fox's rink copped the honours for two wins. The members of the Elliott rink were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stinson and Mr. and Mrs. Elliott, while Mrs. W. J. Whitty, Dr. E. A. Carleton and Mr. and Mrs. Fox comprised the latter rink.

BOWLING NOTES

Two rinks of Stirling bowlers attended the Deseronto Club's Ladies' "Triples" Tournament on Friday last, with Mrs. W. T. Elliott's rink winning the prize for the high score with one win. Other members of her rink were Mrs. R. E. Fox and Mrs. N. Morton. The other Stirling rink was comprised of Mrs. Jackman, Mrs. J. B. Hough and Mrs. W. J. Whitty.

Tuesday the Stirling Club was represented by two rinks at the Belleville Ladies' Rinks Tournament. Both rinks scored two wins, with Mrs. R. Burgess, Mrs. E. Jackman, Mrs. R. E. Fox and Mrs. W. T. Elliott, skip, winning the high prize. Mrs. A. Fraser, Mrs. J. B. Hough, Mrs. P. W. Long and Mrs. W. J. Whitty comprised the second rink.

Messrs. H. R. Tompkins and W. T. Elliott attended the Brighton Doubles Tournament on Saturday last, winning two games of three played.

Buys Property

Mr. A. H. Collings, local realtor, has purchased a home in Colborne and expects to take up residence there in the next few weeks. Citizens of the village will learn with regret of the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Collings, who have made many staunch friends during their residence here.

Matthews Fund

Previously acknowledged	\$549.00
Ken Tompkins	5.00
Wellman's W.I.	5.00
J. C. Thain	5.00
Total	564.00

Sells Property

Mrs. Thos. Donnan has disposed of her property on John St. to Mr. James Chambers, of Whitty, Ont. The new owner will take possession this coming fall.

Business Places Painted Up

A number of business places in the village have been brightened up with fresh paint in recent weeks, including McIntosh & Wells Garage, Wm. Montgomery's Garage and the Stapley Block on Front St. In each case the work was done by Maurice Bell, local decorator, and his staff of employees. At present Mr. Bell is employed redecorating J. S. Whitehead's restaurant.

Entertains Ladies of St. Andrew's

Mrs. Thos. Spry and Gena entertained the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's at their summer cottage, Oak Lake, on July 28th.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Louis Rodgers conducted a short devotional period, with Rev. Walker leading in prayer. Mrs. N. Ray read the minutes of the last meeting. Mrs. Harper Rollins gave a very good report of the canvass made by Mrs. Hoard and herself for the Bible Society.

Miss Gena Spry took charge of a short programme, opening with a reading entitled "Summer Cottage Quilt." Sally Fox delighted the ladies with a reading, "The Mumps." Mrs. Lindsay McGee conducted an interesting and amusing contest. While lunch was being prepared all enjoyed a game of bingo.

Mrs. L. Munro moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Spry, Gena, Mrs. Jim Campbell, Mrs. Earl Fox and Mrs. E. McGee for the lovely lunch and very pleasant afternoon.

The August meeting will be held on the last Thursday of August at the home of Mrs. Thirld.

WON SCHOLARSHIP AT DARTMOUTH

Stirling and district friends will be interested in the following article taken from the Davis, Cal. Enterprise concerning Campbell Richardson, a grandson of Mr. J. Richardson, Front St., and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Volney Richardson, Ridge Road.

"Campbell Richardson, senior at Davis Union High School, is one of two winners from California of the William Pierce Johnson foundation four year scholarships to Dartmouth College.

Richardson, 17, is the son of Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Richardson and is a native of Woodland. He plans to take up the study of law." Dr. Richardson, his father, is professor of Dairy Industry at the University of California College of Agriculture, and is at present on loan to the University of Oregon.

Young Richardson has maintained a consistently high scholarship during his high school course and has been active in all school activities. He is present senior class president and was student body president. He is also president of California Scholarship Federation and editor of Davis high annual. He has been active in track, football, basketball, dramatics and music at Davis high.

The scholarship won by Richardson is valued at \$900 for 4 years. He also had a choice of scholarships at Princeton and Harvard Universities but chose Dartmouth.

'All Stars' Edge Out Wooler

Large Crowd Views Best
Game of Season — Stacey,
Visiting Pitcher, Was Star
(By G.D.)

The largest crowd of ball fans since the opening of the Recreational Centre witnessed the best ball game of the season on Thursday evening last, when the Stirling "All-Stars" edged out Wooler by the close score of 4 to 3 in a nine-inning fray.

Rodgers, who started on the mound for Stirling, pitched his best ball of the year holding the snappy Wooler aggregation to one run in five innings. He was replaced by Potts because of a sore leg and he also pitched good ball. Kreh started behind the plate, making several nice plays.

The visiting team opened the scoring in the 3rd, when with Richards on base, Redcliffe came through with a double to register the first run. Stirling hitters, with the exception of Morton who doubled in the second and was out trying to stretch it into a triple, were unable to produce any runs until the seventh. With Morton on base as the result of a single, Noble blasted a towering homer over the left fielder's head to make the count two to one for the locals. However the visitors came back in the eighth to again take the lead. Redcliffe and Stacey connected for singles and Putnam came through with a double to clear the sacks and make the count 3 to 2 for the visitors. In the bottom of the eighth, with Donohue and Montgomery on base, Burton Morton again came through with the game-winning double to make the final count 4 to 3.

Stacey, the Wooler moundsman, was the main threat against Stirling, while Putnam, Redcliffe and Richards were their main hitters.

Morton, with a pair of doubles and a single, and Noble, with his homer, were the heavy hitters for Stirling. Both teams fielded well.

Score by innings:
Stirling 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 x-4
Wooler 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2-3

Stirling—Langman, rf; Montgomery, 2b; Morton, cf; Dafeo, 1b; Noble, lf; Tanner, 3b; Kreh, c; Donohue, ss; Rodgers, p. Potts replaced Rodgers in the sixth and Shannon replaced Tanner in the 4th.

Wooler—Richards, Redcliffe, Stacey, May, Putnam, Scott, Tearit, Brown, Adams.

Umpires—Don Vandervoort, plate; Harry Brown, bases.

MT. PLEASANT WON OVER STIRLING 10-3

It finally happened.
After breezing along with nary a defeat throughout the schedule thus far, Stirling "Lumber Kings" slipped badly at the Recreational diamond last night and were given a sound trouncing by Mount Pleasant by a score of 10 to 3. The winners played heads-up ball to thoroughly merit their victory, while the losers had an off night and could do nothing right.

Irvin Potts, on the mound for the winners, pitched brilliantly and had the jump on the Stirling batters all the way. In addition he contributed a triple to help win his own game. He was given good support in the field by his mates, who also came through with some timely hitting. Rodgers, pitching for the losers, had difficulty with his control, walking several, and when he did manage to get the ball over the plate the Mt. Pleasant hitters connected. Several errors by the infield also contributed to the loss.

LEGION WON OVER MINTO

Rallying in the last inning for five runs, Stirling Legionnaires defeated Minto in the second game by a score of 9 to 5. Ray, on the mound for the losers, pitched good ball but weakened in the last frame. Noble was on the mound for the winners.

Chgs. Weaver Dies

Charles Weaver, 28, of 734 Young St., Peterborough, died suddenly Saturday evening. He was born in Stirling, son of the late Charles Weaver and Annie Martin, and had lived in Peterborough for the past five years. The funeral was from the Bellegem Funeral Home on Tuesday at 2 p.m.

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Peterborough Fair Gives \$1,000 To Junior Department

Junior Farmers and Junior Club members throughout the area are again reminded of the Junior Program at Peterborough Exhibition on Thursday, August 26th, with registration commencing at 9 a.m. The Peterborough Exhibition, which is resuming its

activities after a lapse during the war years, is spending over \$1,000 on its Junior Section. The boys' program is divided into three sections.

Section 1—Livestock Judging Competition, which is again redivided among club members and Junior Farmers. The prize money for this section starts with \$10.00 for first, and ends with \$1.00 for 20th in both divisions.

Section 2—Deals with identification of common Ontario trees, weeds, hay

and pasture plants, common seed and livestock feeds.

Section 3—A quiz on agriculture is based on "Information a young farmer should know" and is a "yes" or "no", or "true" or "false" quiz.

The age limit is up to 26 years. The 50c entry fee must be sent to your local agricultural representative or to Mr. F. C. Paterson, 164 Hunter St. W., Peterborough by August 16th. Entry forms are available from the above.

One highlight of the day will be a free banquet sponsored by Canada Packers at 6.00 p.m. at the Empress Hotel.

Tuesday, Aug. 17th Junior Day At Belleville Fair

An extensive Junior Day Program for Belleville Fair has been lined up by the Women's Institute Branch, the Ontario Department of Agriculture, and the Belleville Exhibition Board.

For Juniors from Lennox & Addington, Prince Edward, Northumberland, and Hastings Counties. Commencing with registration at 9.30 a.m., there will be the Girls' Project Judging Competition and the Boys' Livestock Judging Competition. In the Livestock Judging sections excellent prizes are offered, commencing at \$8.00 for first, for each of the three sections. 1.—Open up to 26 years of age. 2.—Club members. 3.—Beginners.

Championship prizes of \$5.00 each are also offered.

Entries should be made to A. O. Dalrymple, Agricultural Representative, Stirling, at once and an entry fee of 25c, which includes entry to the Fair and a banquet at night, should be enclosed.

Mr. A. M. Barr, Associate Director of Extension, will be the guest speaker, after which the Juniors will attend the night performance as guests of the Belleville Fair Board.

GET INCREASE IN PAY

Campbellford police are to receive an increase in salary amounting to \$200 per year each retroactive to July 1, it was decided at a recent meeting of the Council.

ORANGEMEN TO BUILD HALL AT CAMPBELLFORD

The Orange Lodge will build a lodge hall in Campbellford as soon as the purchase of the land is completed, it was announced last week. Present plans call for a start to be made with concrete blocks with some brick, but this may be changed when the working plans are made.

TWEED TAX RATE UP 8 1/2 MILLS

At a recent meeting of Tweed Council, the tax rate for Tweed Village for 1948 was set at 6 1/2 mills, an increase of 8 1/2 mills over last year.

CALF IS BORN WITH NO EYES

A male calf completely blind was born on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Knapp, two miles south of Seeley's Bay, on Highway No. 15, recently. It is not blind in the ordinary sense, since in this case, the animal has no eyes at all.

NEWSPRINT PRICE UP \$4.00 PER TON

International Paper Sales Company, Inc., has advised its customers that effective August 1, the standard price of newsprint will be increased \$4 a ton.

NEW TRANSFORMER STATION

A transformer station to cost \$5 million will be constructed at Peterboro to serve that city and the eastern Ontario district with power from the Chenaux hydro development. Production of power at transformer station will not start until 1951 and construction of the Peterboro transformer station will commence late next year. More transmission lines will be built to serve eastern Ontario.

Tufts-Stapley Families Hold 23rd Re-union

The 23rd annual Reunion of the Tufts-Stapley families was held in Tweed Memorial Park with an attendance of one hundred and fifty. Everyone enjoyed the splendid day's outing which was presided over by President Arnold Montgomery.

The secretary's report was given by Ruby Montgomery in the absence of Mrs. Clayton Stratton, and showed 20 births, 3 deaths, and 3 marriages since the last reunion.

The oldest person in attendance was Hiram Ashley, 82, and the youngest, Baby Larry Ross, age 1 month. Baby Larry Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Palmateer, age 1 month. The largest family present was that of Mrs. Mae Clarke, four children; gentleman with smallest feet Lawrence Wilson, 10 1/2 inches; person from the longest distance, Vera Clark, from Moncton, N.B.; most recent grandmother, Mrs. Mae Clarke; couple married the longest, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stapley, of Stirling, 48 years.

Races

Boys and girls, 5 years and under—Marilyn Tufts.

Boys, 8 years and under — Robert Montgomery.

Girls, 8 years and under — Janet Tompkins.

Boys, 12 years and under, throwing ball—Donald Montgomery.

Girls, 12 years and under, throwing ball—Elsie Hutt.

'Boys' Thread and Needle Rose — Cody Wheeler.

Young Ladies kicking football — Mrs. Wallace Stapley.

Married Couple's Tie Race—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Montgomery.

Men's Race (over 50 years)—Frank Stapley.

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Rawdon Council Makes Grant To Stirling Fall Fair

The regular meeting of the Rawdon Township Council was held at Harold, on August 2nd, with Reeve W. J. Morrison presiding and all members present.

On motion of Bailey and Heath C. Gordanier was paid \$25.00 township bounty for one wolf killed in the township.

Bateman-Spencer—That Hydro Electric Commission be paid \$4.00 for hydro for the town hall.

Bailey and Bateman—That K. Vanhorne be paid \$13.80; also Arnold Ray \$14.95, for weed spraying.

Heath and Bailey—That Farm and Truck Supply Ltd. be paid balance of account \$7.20 for parts for sprayer.

On motion of Councillors Bailey and Spencer the Assessment Roll for 1949 was accepted and the Assessor paid his salary of \$150.00.

On motion of Bailey and Bateman, the fee of \$10.00 was ordered paid to the Ontario Municipal Association, covering delegates' fees for Clerk and Treasurer.

On motion of Councillors Heath and Bateman, Road Voucher No. 7, for \$959.94 was paid.

A grant of \$75.00 to Stirling Agricultural Society was authorized on motion of Messrs. Spencer and Bateman. The Council went into committee of the whole on bylaws and Bylaw No. 700 was passed to fix the rates to be levied for the year 1948, as follows:

County 16 1/2; Township, 2; Special School, 6 1/2; Township roads, 4; Snow removal and equipment, 2 1/2; Springbrook Hydro for the incorporated taxpayer, 2 1/2; and Federation of Agriculture, .2 mills.

Bylaw No. 701 was passed setting the date for Court of Revision on the 1949 Assessment for Monday, October 4th, at 11 o'clock.

On reverting to general business it was moved by Heath and Spencer that the Committee pay for the year be paid.

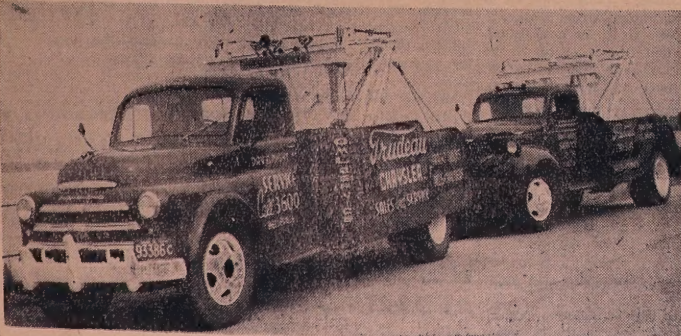
Council adjourned to meet Wednesday, Sept. 1st, at 1.30 p.m.

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ENGLISH JOURNEY

BY WALTER R. LEGGE

ARTICLE No. 6

Within a short bus ride journey from Amersham are two places that should be on the "must see" list of every visitor to England, Windsor Castle and Hampton Court Palace.

One whole day at least should be spent at Windsor for there is so much to see. The town itself is an interesting old place but the Castle is worth the whole journey to England. The usual pictures of Windsor Castle give little indication of the real size and grandeur of the many buildings.

It is known that there was a castle here in the days of William I (1066-1087) and succeeding kings made various

additions until about 1820 since which time there have been no changes.

As everyone knows, the Royal family spend much of their time at Windsor Castle, but when they are absent, visitors are shown through the state apartments by expert guides who lecture in each room. These are not the private apartments of the Royal Family, which are in another part of the Castle.

It is impossible in the space available to adequately describe these state apartments but the following is a brief summary in the order visited.

The China museum contains a valuable

collection of services of Worcester, Wedgwood, Minton, Copeland, etc., made for various Kings.

The Grand staircase has a suit of armor made for Henry VIII, colours of many regiments, arms and armor.

King Charles II Dining Room has a ceiling painting by Verrio of a Banquet of the Gods; Grindley Gibbons carvings and priceless pictures, furniture and tapestries.

The Rubens Room is so called because of the number of paintings by that artist on the walls. It is used as the principal apartment during State visits. This room also has valuable furniture and porcelains.

The State Bedroom has a State Bedstead made 1774-1793 and the walls are covered with green silk damask. Here also are priceless paintings and furniture.

The King's Closet and the Queen's Closet are two more large rooms with period furniture and magnificent paintings.

The Picture Gallery, used as a Writing Room during state visits, is known as the Picture Gallery on account of the number of masterpieces of great value. There are over 40 paintings by such artists as Holbein, Rubens, Rembrandt, etc.

The Van Dyck Room is so called because most of the paintings are by that artist and there are many fine pieces of furniture.

The Queen's Audience Chamber has another fine ceiling painting by Verrio and three magnificent panel tapestries of Gobelin.

The Queen's Presence Chamber also has a ceiling painting by Verrio and wonderful furniture and pictures.

The Guard Chamber has an armour clad equestrian figure, a fine collection of historical swords and batons, as well as busts, tapestries, pictures and furniture.

St. George's Hall, built by Edward III to hold the banquets of the Knights of the Garter, is 185 feet long and 30 feet wide. The decorations include the shields of Arms of 11 knights of the Garter from the foundation of the Order in 1344 to the present day, and busts of about 24 kings and members of the Royal Family.

The Grand Reception Room has six huge Gobelin tapestries.

The Throne Room is where many Royal Investitures of the Order of the Garter has taken place. The pictures are of Sovereigns in their Garter Robes.

The Ante Throne Room has five paintings by Zuccarelli, busts and Louis XV tables.

The Waterloo Chamber has a mahogany table capable of seating 150 persons. The walls are covered with Heraldic Badges and over forty paintings of celebrities.

The last room is the Grand Vestibule, filled with cases of souvenirs of historical events, and other objects, forming a museum of great interest.

It would take days to really study the apartments but the visitor must keep up with the guide and party. It was noticeable that the guide never used superlatives such as "the finest in the world," although there is no doubt that many items could be so classed. There were over 5000 visitors to the apartments on the day we were there.

The Queen's Doll House is another section open to the public but we did not have time enough to visit it.

Equally interesting is the St. George's Chapel which is one of the most beautiful and interesting buildings in England.

Here again an expert guide conducts parties of visitors and points out each item of interest and here again, hours could be spent studying the details.

St. George's Chapel is where many kings and queens are buried including Henry VIII and his Queen, Jane Seymour, Edward VII, Queen Alexandra, George III, George IV, Henry VI and many others.

Our guide showed his sense of dramatics as he told of the body of Charles the First being smuggled past sentries into the chapel for burial at the dead of night. For a long time it was doubted if it really was the body of the king and if he really was beheaded. Years later the body was exhumed and found to be really the body of Charles the First and the head was separate from the body.

We were fortunate in seeing the extensive and massive old altar vessels which are not usually on view, but had not been removed after a special service that morning.

Lovers of fine architecture are richly rewarded for a visit to St. George's Chapel for although it is not as old as many other Church buildings it is far richer and the stone vaulting is glorious. It is hard to tear oneself away from this gem of England.

Going out on the north terrace of the Castle a glorious view is obtained over the countryside and in the foreground are the buildings of Eton, one of England's most famous boys' schools. In the town of Windsor at almost any time can be seen boys with the caps, uniforms, and toppers worn by various groups of students.

The following interesting item about

Eton was clipped from a recent daily paper.

"A woman I have known put her son down for Eton soon after he was born, 12 years ago.

"His name went on the general waiting list. This was a mistake. His mother should have made sure it was on a housemaster's list.

"So unless there is a failure among the examinees in September, he stands no chance of going to Eton in the autumn. Hundreds more boys are waiting for such chance vacancies.

"Fees at Eton are now 275 pounds a year. Nevertheless, lists are full until 1960."

Only a half hour's bus ride from Windsor is Hampton Court Palace, which I visited on another day. It was built by Cardinal Wolsey when he was the richest and most powerful man in England. His household numbered 500 and 280 guest rooms were always ready for guests.

Wolsey presented it to King Henry VIII who made it one of the most luxurious palaces in the kingdom.

It is now preserved by the Minister of Works as an ancient monument and historic building. Visitors may go through the various apartments which are full of period furniture, priceless paintings, tapestries, etc.

The gardens at Hampton Court Palace are extensive and very beautiful and the most widely known feature there is the famous Maze probably planted in the reign of William III. The hedges which line the paths of the Maze are 6 feet high and two feet thick, but looked to me as if they were dying. Perhaps they will be better later in the summer.

Another feature is the Tilt-yard garden where tournaments were held in the days of Henry VIII. It is seven acres in area, enclosed by high brick walls and five towers provided accommodations for the spectators.

Hampton Court Palace and grounds are on the banks of the Thames and river steamers make frequent trips up and down the Thames carrying passengers to such places as Richmond, Kingston, London, etc., at a small charge.

I went on one of these steamers to Kingston which is a busy centre with many interesting old buildings among fine modern ones. It was market day and I had a chance to see another of these outdoor markets which are a feature of many towns.

A Delicious Cool Drink

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"SALADA" ICED TEA

Geo. Chambers Former District Cheesemaker, Dies

Stricken with a heart attack late Saturday night after finishing a light lunch before retiring, George Chambers, farmer and former cheesemaker in Hastings and Prince Edward counties, died at his home one mile west of Brighton.

Mr. Chambers was born in Thurlow township 80 years ago, being the son of the late William Chambers and Susan Phillips. He has been in failing health for some time although carrying on the occupation of farmer. On Saturday he visited with friends and relatives in Belleville and went to his home early in the afternoon. Enjoying a light lunch before retiring, Mr. Chambers had just finished when he was stricken with a heart seizure and succumbed almost immediately. He was well known and highly respected in the neighborhood that he had lived in for over 20 years. Previous to taking up farming the deceased was a prominent cheesemaker of the district, making cheese at Eldorado, at Stirling factory on the 4th concession of Rawdon and at Elmbrook in Prince Edward county.

He was a member of the United Church and surviving are one son, George Chambers, at home on the farm, one daughter, Mrs. Carson (Lillian) Nelson, of Detroit, Mich.; three brothers, James Everett, of North Bay, Stanley, of Zion Hill and Clayton, of Belleville; four grandchildren, Betty, Billie and Patsy Nelson, of Detroit, and Ronald Chambers, of Brighton, and one great grandchild. His wife, the former Edith Phillips, preceded him five years ago.

The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon with interment in Brighton cemetery.

What Others Say I

HIGHWAY BUMS

(Brockville Recorder & Times)
— A resident of the outskirts of Brockville who keeps watch on wayfarers estimates that about 150 hitchhikers of both sexes, most of them young and quite able-bodied, pass westward over No. 2 highway daily soliciting transportation from those they think should provide it for them. Most of these transients are beyond school age and are capable of performing work.

RURAL DOCTORS

(Montreal Star)
We do not know what plans the government has in mind for securing for rural Canada the medical protection which it needs and is not getting. It is greatly to be hoped that, whatever it is, it will not be too long before it is made public and set going. The co-operation of the medical profession will then be expected and will doubtless be forthcoming. Rural Canada cannot get along without doctors and should not be expected to.

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
Sunday, August 15th, 1948
11.00 a.m.—Union Service in St. Paul's
West Huntingdon Service withdrawn

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. H. C. Vackavik — Minister
Sunday, August 15th, 1948
11.00 a.m.—Wellmans
2.30 p.m.—Bethel
8.00 p.m.—Mount Pleasant
There will be an Induction Service at Mount Pleasant on Friday, Aug. 20, at 8 o'clock.

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. R. W. Barker, M.A., S.T.B. Minister
Sunday, August 15th, 1948
11.00 a.m.—Union Service
8.00 p.m.—Carmel Worship Service

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, August 15th, 1948

10.30 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2 p.m.—Gospel Bells Broadcast
8 p.m. Thursday — Prayer and Bible Study
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
Speaker: A. R. Wannamaker

tained Mrs. A. E. Kewley, Katherine, Allen and Anne, of Toronto, and Rev. E. E. M. Joblin and Mrs. Joblin accompanied them home after a holiday at Mount Pleasant.
Mrs. Ray Williams, Hoards, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams and Mrs. G. Smith.

Wellmans

Miss Nancy Chumbley and Master Jimmie Chumbley spent the past two weeks holidaying with relatives in Belleville.

Miss Marlene Haggerty is holidaying with Miss Helen Cooper, of Concession.

Mrs. G. Dickens and Miss Sharon Dickens, of Belleville, visited recently with the King family.

Miss Yvonne King spent a couple of days with Miss Sharon Dickens, in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thrasher and boys, of Belleville, were Saturday evening callers at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher.

Mrs. Victor Graham and Freda took tea Thursday evening with Mrs. Paul Sharp and Jack.

Miss Annie Cook, of Orin, is spending a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Omar Dracup.

Mrs. Walter Dracup visited Sunday at the home of her brother, Mr. Geo. Watson.

Master Bruce Beckett spent Sunday with Master Craig Watson.

Miss Ruth Dunham is holidaying at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Miss June Dunham, Belleville, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. John King and Jack and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson King, of Peterborough, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred King, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and Yvonne.

Miss Mildred Morton spent the past week with her aunt, Mrs. Russell Teal, Colborne.

Misses Ruth Clancy, Patsy Pollock, and Muriel Morton are enjoying a holiday at the Y.M.C.A. Girls' Camp at Molra Lake.

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Mount Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Spencer and Mr. Merle Spencer spent a day last week with Mrs. Alfred Merrells, Campbellford.

Miss Edith Stone, of Holloway, is spending a couple of weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White.

Mrs. Merle Spencer entertained last week Misses Patsy and Jean Wallace, Burnbrae; Misses Barbara and Pauline Holbert, of Molra.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard entertained Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketcheson, Phillipston, and Miss Edythe Worrell, of Port Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Spencer spent a day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Don Spencer, Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Smith and Joan and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Hart, Peterborough, visited Mrs. Gilbert Smith over the week-end and Joan remained with her grandmother for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen were recent supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips.

Mrs. Wm. McKenzie and Miss Hazel MacKenzie, Burnbrae, spent Wednesday with the Spencer families.

Mrs. Allen Bailey and Mrs. Isobel Turner spent a recent Sunday evening with Mrs. G. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Linn and Ruth and Mrs. Merle Spencer and Ray,

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer and their guest, Master Norman Godfrey, Keene, enjoyed a picnic supper Tuesday evening at Oak Lake.

Mrs. Ross Hoard spent a day last week with her sister at Phillipston.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Spencer recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wallace, Patsy and Jean, Burnbrae; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brown, Peterborough; Mr. and Mrs. Don Holbert, Pauline and Barbara, of Molra, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer, Jr., and Master Norman Godfrey, of Keene.

Sunday afternoon at Mount Pleasant United Church, Misses Joyce Wallace, Jean Haggerty, Margaret Haggerty and Joan McCurdy, of West Huntingdon, sang two quartettes, accompanied by Mrs. Malcolm Sharp. They were guests of Mrs. Sharp for the week-end.

Mrs. Frank Spencer, Jr., entertained the Misses Patsy and Jean Wallace, of Burnbrae, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray White and Judy, Eldorado, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. White.

Mrs. Alex Glover, Belleville, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips.

Master Norman Godfrey, of Keene, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer, Jr.

Mrs. A. Fox spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Caskey, Madoc.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Seabrook, Campbellford, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton. Mrs. Harold White, St. Petersburg, Fla., spent the last two weeks with her former school chum, Mrs. Lindsay Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Pollock, Doris and Jim, and Mrs. Harold White took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Penny and Judy, of Trenton, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. Alex Johnston and Della.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Dickens and children and Mrs. G. Dickens, of Belleville, visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King.

Madoc Junction

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Brown, Mr. H. Brown and Mr. Ben Frederick, of New York State, were guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Ashley. Miss Hannah Chambers, of Toronto, is spending some time at the home of her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett, Rosella, and Mr. Morris Clancy enjoyed a motor trip Sunday to Peterborough and Burleigh Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stapley, Seymour, were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stapley.

Mr. Ross Brydges is holidaying this week in Oshawa with his brother, Mr. Chas. Brydges.

Miss Elaine Lyons, of Frankford, spent last week with her cousin, Miss Grace Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Gray, of Belleville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wannamaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen and Mr. George McMullen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson, of Warkworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wood and family, of Dryden, spent a week's vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chambers and Mrs. Hector Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sharpe, of Calhoun, were guests on Sunday at the home of the latter's cousin, Mr. Warren Harlow.

The hydro line was extended last week to the homes of Mr. Geo. McMullen, Mr. J. Cooke and the School.

Oak Lake

Mrs. F. Clare entertained at afternoon tea on Wednesday of last week, when her guests were Mesdames F. Kingston, W. Bartindale, C. Ross, Covey, Heagle and B. Searles.

Mrs. Robt. Kerr returned on Monday after spending some time in Owen Sound.

Mrs. Flo. Heagle, of Minto, spent Wednesday with Mrs. B. R. Searles.

Mr. Garnet Searles was a guest at the Murray-McMann wedding in Melrose United Church on Saturday.

Misses Muriel Turner and Irene McCann, of Peterboro, and Miss Della Caldwell, Stirling, were recent visitors at the Currie-Lindenfield homes.

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The Library will be closed during the first three weeks of August (except as indicated below). For the convenience of subscribers the Library will be open during that period on Saturday, August 7th, 14th and 21st, from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m.
43-5 Stirling Public Library Board

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WANTED — Calves, all ages, Shoats and Cattle. W. J. Snarr, Phone 487 or 147r12 Campbellford 10-1t

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HEATH—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Heath (nee Marjorie Gay) Stirling, wish to announce the birth of their son, William Clifford, at Belleville General Hospital, on Saturday, August 7th.

In Memoriam

ROSEBUSH—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Hiram Rosebush, who passed away August 10th, 1947. One year has passed, dear mother. Since you were called away; How well do we remember That sad and weary day.

You suffered much, you murmured not, We watched you day by day; God loved you too, and thought it best To take you home with Him to rest. —Lovingly remembered by sons and daughters. 43-1p

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Hector Whitton and family wish to sincerely thank all relatives, friends and neighbours for their untiring acts of kindnesses during the long illness of her husband; also for floral tributes and kindness shown at time of bereavement. 43-1p

Allans Mills

Mr. and Mrs. R. McKeown, of Coe Hill, have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. McKeown. Mr. and Mrs. N. Sadick and family, of North Bay, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Burditt. Mr. and Mrs. Elton Huble spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Burditt. Mrs. R. Wellman has returned home after undergoing a tonsil operation in Belleville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomson spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mumby and family, of Montreal, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Mumby.

Mr. A. H. Reid is spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. C. Craig, and Mr. Craig, of Peterborough.

Master Gordon Cross, of Carleton Place, is holidaying with Kenneth and Bobbie Stiles.

Bonarlaw

Mrs. A. V. Brown is spending a few days visiting friends in Rochester, N. Y.

Miss Ruth Eastwood, of Whitby, is visiting friends in Bonarlaw and vicinity for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baker returned home on Monday of this week after a week's motor trip to Orillia, Elmvale, Wasaga Beach, Toronto, Whitby, etc. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Kennard Baker and Joan, of Peterborough. Judy Baker returned to her home at Elmvale with them after visiting relatives in Bonarlaw and Stirling for a month.

Marsh Hill

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pammit and son, Donald, of Peterboro, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heasman.

Mrs. Robt. Campbell and Mrs. Frank Finkle are spending a few days in Belleville.

Mrs. Will Shaw, of Ivanhoe, was a Saturday guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Campbell.

Mrs. Harry Coulter is spending a week with friends in Peterborough.

Chatterton W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. B. Blecker on Tuesday afternoon. There were nine present.

The President, Mrs. W. Lindfield, conducted the business meeting when it was decided to use the Study Book for the ensuing year, with each group taking its turn in presenting it; There was a discussion as to the advisability of having a further sale of home cooking, and secretaries were called on for reports. The program presented was a temperance playlet, "What Price Freedom?" and those taking part were Mesdames B. Blecker, B. Finkle, C. Ross, W. Bartindale and W. Lindfield. The discussion and plans for combatting the liquor situation mean definite action by this Society in the immediate future. Loose collection was 85c. The hostess served sandwiches, tea and cake at the close of the meeting.

Carmel

Mr. and Mrs. Don Vandervoort and Myra, Toronto, spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Holden, Stirling, and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Holden, Sarnia, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Armstrong, of Toronto, were holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Armstrong and Mrs. Armstrong, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hubel and Ray spent a few days last week in Ottawa and Blue Sea Lake.

Mrs. Harry Brown and Verna, Mrs. Helen Neal and Bobby and Mrs. Arthur Prear spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, Peterborough. Miss Verna Brown remained for a holiday with her grandparents.

The family of Mr. Jos. Grills attended the Grills picnic held at Oak Lake on Thursday.

St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid And W.M.S.

West Huntingdon

The July meeting of the Ladies' Aid and W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. John Wallace. The meeting opened with quiet music played by Miss Margie Haggerty. The president, Mrs. Milton Shaw, read a poem entitled "Do You Believe It?" Twenty members and three visitors were present. Mrs. Will Shaw read the Scripture lesson. Mrs. Harry Lovibond gave an address on the "Keyword." Mrs. Don Haggerty gave a reading entitled "Everyday Religion." A chapter in the Study Book was given by Mrs. Morley Haggerty. Misses Joyce Wallace and Margie Haggerty sang "Heartaches" as a duet. A poem "The Great Gardener" was read by Mrs. Barton Haggerty. Mrs. John Wallace read of the work of Miss Douglas as missionary

in Formosa and also offered prayer on behalf of Miss Douglas.

Mrs. John McIntroy gave a reading "How Prayers Are Answered."

Mrs. John McIntroy thanked the hostess for the use of her home and the offering was taken. Mrs. Wallace and Joyce served a delicious lunch and all enjoyed a social half-hour.

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EASTWOOD—BROWN

On Wednesday afternoon, July 28th, Greenwood United Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when Mildred Llewella, only daughter of Wm. A. and Mrs. Brown, became the bride of Gylan Harry, elder son of George S. and Mrs. Eastwood, of Whitby, formerly of Bonarlaw, Ont.

Rev. A. C. Luffman performed the ceremony. The church was beautifully decorated in shades of mauve and white. The wedding music was played by Mrs. J. L. Pegg, aunt of the bride. Fred N. Brown, brother of the bride, sang "The Lord's Prayer" at the beginning of the ceremony and "Through The Years" during the signing of the register.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was lovely in a pale ivory embroidered satin gown, made with floor length skirt, fitted pointed bodice and sweetheart neckline. With it she wore the groom's gift, a necklace of pearls. Her fingertip veil in halo style was caught with orange blossoms at the sides. She carried an old fashioned nosegay with crimson rose centre and white streamers caught it with crimson rose buds.

Her attendants were Miss Doreen Pegg, cousin of the bride, as maid-of-honour; Misses Eileen Saddler, Helen and Ruth Eastwood, sisters of the groom, as bridesmaids, and Ruth Anne Eastwood, niece of the groom as flower girl. The attendants were charming in dresses made on the same lines as the bride of flowered organza; Miss Pegg and Miss Helen Eastwood in apricot and Miss Saddler and Miss Ruth Eastwood in pale green. They wore floral head dresses and carried old fashioned nosegays.

John Eastwood was his brother's groomsman.

The reception was held on the lawn at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's mother wore pale blue jersey with white accessories and pink corsage. The groom's mother was in grey-flowered crepe, with grey accessories and a rose corsage.

Mrs. B. Wilson, aunt of the bride, poured tea from a table centred with the wedding cake which was topped with a small vase given to the bride's grandmother when a small child and used on the bride's mother's wedding cake.

Guests from a distance included Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and Audrey, from Harold, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McComb and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baker, from Bonarlaw, Ont.

After the reception the happy couple left by car for Northern Ontario and west. For travelling the bride chose a blue-grey tailored suit with pink blouse and white accessories. They will reside at Greenwood.

WOODS—GOULD

An interesting wedding took place at R.C.A.F. Chapel, Trenton Airport, on Wednesday, August 11th, when Effie May Gould (Heard) of Stirling, became the bride of Peter Harvey Woods of Marmora. Rev. H. L. Harding, a former rector of St. John's Church, Stirling, officiated.

The bride wore a gown of alic blue crepe, with matching accessories, and carried a bouquet of red roses. She was attended by Mrs. Harry Smith, of Stirling, as matron of honour, gowned in blue silk and wearing a corsage of red roses. Mr. R. Geen, Stirling, acted as groomsman.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served in the Boston Cafe, Trenton.

On their return from a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Woods will reside in Stirling.

BAKER—GRAHAM

The marriage of Elizabeth Jane (Beth) Graham, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham, Elmvale, to Chester John Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baker, Bonarlaw, Ont., took place on Tuesday, July 13th, at 7 p.m. in Glebe Presbyterian Church Toronto. Rev. Dr. W. T. McCree officiated.

The bride wore a dress of ice blue moire taffeta, with white accessories, and corsage of pink roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Agnes Graham, wearing lemon and black silk taffeta with black silk accessories and corsage of pink roses. The groomsman was Kennard A. Baker, of Peterborough, brother of the groom.

Following the reception the bride and groom left on a motor trip to Belleville, Bonarlaw, Kingston and points east. They will reside in Elmvale.

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NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

WILL STUDY DISEASES AT LETHBRIDGE LAB.

To aid the western farmers in controlling plant diseases as well as insects, the Dominion Department of Agriculture's Science Service is expanding its laboratory at Lethbridge, Alta. Research in plant pathology will not be added to the entomological work carried on there since the laboratory was established in 1913, announces Dr. K. W. Neatby, Director of Science Service.

To co-ordinate at this laboratory the investigations of the various units of Science Service and to increase liaison between Science Service and the Experimental Farms Service and western universities, the Department has appointed W. C. Broadfoot Officer-in-Charge. Formerly at the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Edmonton, Dr. Broadfoot has headed research in seed-borne diseases at Ottawa for the past two years.

In this laboratory expansion, plant pathology will be headed by Dr. M. W. Mermack, an authority on diseases of forage plants, formerly of the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Edmonton. Dr. C. W. Farstad will con-

tinue to be in charge of research in field and forage crops insects; R. H. Painter in livestock insects.

From their studies of wheat stem sawfly and pale Western cutworm, government scientists have enabled grain growers to save millions of dollars. Under the successive guidance of E. H. Strickland, H. L. Seamans and G. F. Manson, results obtained at the Lethbridge laboratory have been widely adopted by western farmers.

Their reputation enhanced by their work in Lethbridge, Strickland is now professor of entomology, University of Alberta, Edmonton; Seamans is Chief Field Crop Insect Investigations, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa; Manson is being transferred as Officer-in-Charge of the Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Chatham, Ont.

HOW TO SALVAGE OLD PAINT BRUSHES

When a farmer starts to do a painting job around the farm, as often as not he discovers that the old paint brush has developed a decided kink with hard turned-up bristles and is unworkable.

To salvage stiff old brushes, soaking overnight, preferably in turpentine, is a well-known preliminary. Gasoline is also effective. After the old paint has been softened, it should be scraped off with a blunt knife or combed out with a steel comb or brush. If the first soaking fails to remove the paint, the process can be repeated. Shellac brushes should be cleaned with alcohol, and whitewash and calcimine brushes with water.

After most of the accumulation has been removed, the brush should be scrubbed in warm water with a mild laundry soap—never with a strong soap. The excess water should be shaken out and the brush left to dry. The bristles should be straightened out with a scrub brush or comb before completely dry, after which the brush should be wrapped—not too tightly—in heavy paper or cardboard to keep the bristles straight. If the brush is dipped in paint before being fully dried, the moisture will make the brush soft and listless.

When a brush is being used every day, it should be filled with paint, and wrapped overnight in several thicknesses of paper, or suspended in a can of water. If used intermittently, it may be suspended in raw linseed oil or kerosene. If stored in turpentine, the brush is likely to become hard. It should never be allowed to rest on the ends of the bristles for any length of time, because it will become warped and the flow of paint will be uneven. With a hole at the end of the handle, a brush may be suspended in the paint from a rod or stick across the edges of the can so that the bristles do not touch the bottom. When put away for a period of time, the brush should be cleaned, thoroughly dried, and stored with the bristles straight.

SHAPE OF THINGS TO COME ABROAD

Europe in the next three years may buy less food from the United States and Canada and more from other countries. Purchases of North American farm machinery and fertilizers will steadily decline.

Despite substantial restoration of pre-war crop averages by 1950, and of most kinds of livestock except horses, Europe will not be producing as much meat and livestock products then as it produced before the war. Because of the increase in population, Europeans will not be fed as well on the average as pre-war.

These statements highlight a report

on "European Programs of Agricultural Reconstruction and Development" just issued by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and based on a study by the FAO staff of all available plans and programs of European countries.

AIRBORNE HOPPERS MENACE SEEDLINGS

For a mature grasshopper, one hop can be 10 miles long. Thanks to wings, the grown-up's cruising range is much greater than that of the young hopper.

This reminder comes from H. L. Seamans, Chief, Field Crop and Insect Investigations, Dominion Department of Agriculture, who points out that, because of their mobility, even a few mature grasshoppers can destroy seedling crops of winter wheat or fall rye. Yet these crops can be protected by wet bait spread at the rate of not more than 20 pounds per acre.

The newer sprays or dust, such as chlordane or chlorinated camphene, are usually effective when applied to the vegetation on which grasshoppers are feeding, but when they are put on crops at the seedling stage, a hopper is likely to destroy much of the young plant before the poison kills him.

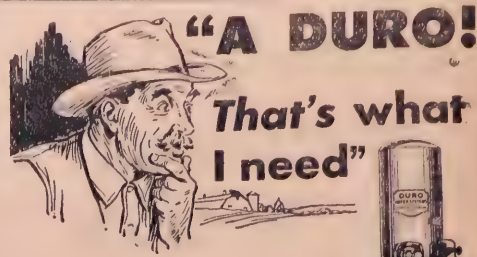
CHEESE MAKE FOR EXPORT

It is announced by the Dairy Products Board that under the authority of an Order in Council, all Cheddar cheese manufactured in the provinces of Ontario and Quebec from the 26th of July, 1948, to the 31st of October, 1948, inclusive, shall be sold to exporters licensed by the Dairy Products Board. Cheese so purchased by licensed exporters must be tendered to the Dairy Products Board for export to the British Ministry of Food.

WHY MOLES BURROW

Moles burrow in the ground to get food. Their food consists of earth worms, white grubs, cutworms, wireworms, crickets, beetles, spiders, centipedes, millepedes, insect eggs and such like animal diet. Moles do not care for vegetation. Autopsies on moles have shown that only traces of vegetative matter are included in the diet.

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TAKE A TIP

1. Provide man-sized sandwiches of chopped or minced ingredients. Salmon egg, cucumber, ground meat, relish spread, creamed cheese or various combinations of these are suggestions.
2. Small raw tomatoes, hard-cooked eggs, trimmed radishes and cucumber wedges go well with plain buttered bread and a tiny package of salt and pepper.
3. For a special lawn picnic cold cooked chicken or minced green salad with soft rolls will please your guests.
4. It is easy to take along chilled fruit juice in one thermos and either cold milk or flavoured tea in another.
5. Those who use the park tables require a paper cloth, paper plates, serviettes, paper cups and spoons.
6. Leave the park area as you would like to see it on your return.

REQUESTED RECIPES

Mrs. J.M. asks for a baked egg plant recipe.

Answer:

EGG PLANT WITH CHEESE

Dice 1 medium-sized onion, 1 green pepper from which the seeds have been removed and 4 slices of bacon. Add 2 tablespoons of flour and stir until browned. Slowly add 2 cups tomato juice. Season with salt and pepper and cook until smooth and thick. Pare and dice 1 medium-sized egg-plant. Put half the diced egg-plant into a greased baking dish. Add tomato sauce and vegetable mixture and a layer of grated cheese. Add remainder of egg-plant and then the rest of tomato sauce. Top with grated cheese and bake in electric oven at 300 degs. for 1 1/2 hours.

Miss M. T. requests ingredients for a tasty potato salad.

Answer:

POTATO SALAD

6 medium-sized new potatoes, 1 medium onion minced, 1 tsp. celery seed, 1 tsp. salt, 2 tps. sugar, 1/2 tsp. pepper, 2 tps. chopped sweet pickle, 1 cup garlic French dressing, 1 1/2 cups diced celery, 1 1/2 cups thinly sliced radishes, 1/2 cup mayonnaise.

Cook potatoes, peel and cut into fairly small cubes. Add onion, celery seed, salt, pepper, pickle and French dressing.

Yield: 8 servings.

Miss J. H. asks what to add to raspberries and soda water for a good fruit drink.

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1 1/2 cups raspberry juice, 1/2 cup lemon juice, 1 cup orange juice, 2 tps. grated orange rind, 1 cup sugar, 1 quart carbonated water. Combine all ingredients except carbonated water. Put in container and cover tightly. Let stand in electric refrigerator for several hours. Strain, add carbonated water and pour over crushed or cubed ice.

Yield: 2 quarts.

Mrs. R. J. asks for Refrigerator Cream using evaporated milk.

Answer:

MARBLE CREAM

2 cups evaporated milk, 1 can sweetened condensed milk, 1 cup cold coffee beverage, 1 tsp. vanilla extract, 1-8 tsp. salt, 1 chocolate bar, 2 tps. boiling water, 4 tps. milk. Chill evaporated milk in freezing tray until fine ice crystals begin to form around the edges. Turn into bowl, and whip until milk peaks. Fold into sweetened condensed milk, which has been combined with coffee, vanilla, and salt. Pour into freezing trays with temperature control at coldest settings, and freeze until quite firm, stirring every 30 minutes.

Meanwhile, melt chocolate in saucepan over boiling water. Add boiling water and milk, and stir until smooth. Cool, but do not chill. Pour in thin layer over top of the "quite firm" cream. Return to electric refrigerator and freeze until firm enough to serve. Or stir chocolate into "quite firm" cream in streaks or marbled effect; then freeze until firm.



Voice Of The People

While the headlines may publicize the question of leadership as occupying the spotlight at the National Liberal Convention in this capital, yet veteran observers along Parliament Hill here know that one of the most striking big stories behind the scenes of this Convention which did not get the publicity it deserves was that, unlike such national political gatherings in Canada of the past, leadership and platform rather than the mere choice of a new leader and his personality were strongly emphasized. Indeed, mixing amongst the many delegates who came here from all sections of this country caused a deep and unforgettable impression that the voice of the people was dominating the scene, and though the choice of a leader was a "hot" subject in "back room" political talks, still what they thought most about was the platform and policies.

Surprising as it may seem to people outside of this capital, there were many delegates who appeared most anxious to discuss platforms and policies rather than anything else. Apparently, judging from "on the spot" observations here, it is no longer a secret that the so-called "older" political parties expect a big battle for ballots at the next general election. There will be no walkover and no easy victories, indicating that the professional politician is recognizing now that the "older" political parties are facing fast changing developments so that the voice of the people must be heard and answered. Old methods must be changed in tune with the changing conditions; personalities may not win votes in future elections as frequently occurred in the past; voters cannot be any longer "stampeded"; platforms are now more important than mere leadership.

It was observed that the threat of socialism is now being considered as a serious thing by countless Canadians who came here from every part of this country, with the results of the recent by-elections persisting as a topic of whispers amongst the delegates. Another point often heard was that the Liberals will have to watch more carefully now the effects of new leadership in the ranks of the Progressive-Conservative Party or Official Opposition, with opinions prevailing that some drastic changes in that party are in the making. "Austerity" programs may be essential for economic or financial reasons, it was heard

here, but there was no doubt that even supporters of the Government feared the effects of such programs from a practical vote-getting angle, with hints heard that the important series of announcements bringing some relief in this respect were not made by the Government on the eve of the opening of this Convention just by a mere coincidence, especially since stories of strong protest from Government supporters have been circulating here for weeks.

There were numerous other all-important trends noted by this veteran observer and there was no doubt that the voice of the people was speaking at this big national convention in sharp contrast to such political gatherings of the past with the point being that one cannot help but be deeply impressed with the fact that politics in Canada appears to be entering a new era where so-called machines in political organizations and personalities will have less influence than political policies or platform on the national scene. The masses are now much more political-conscious and they cannot be exploited by demagogues which have bedevilled some political issues in the past.

The human side of this national convention disclosed that democracy is awake and the masses are more concerned about social security program easing of taxation burdens, etc., than they are about "solid political blocs," "political understandings," back room political agreements, and even "fancy political speeches." It was in reality, a sign of a healthy political awakening of the masses and at no time in the history of country have so many representatives of the people from all parts of the land even though representing one political party shown such a serious disposition to express themselves on issues rather than on any mere local desire to back an individual for the leadership of a party.

To veteran observers it was a revelation and the dramatic witnessing of the beginning of a new era of political activities in the federal arena where the voice of the people leads rather than is being led with this surpassing actually in lasting importance the choice of a leader and other activities usually associated with such giant gatherings, though, of course, these are making headlines at the moment.

There is evident along Parliament Hill that the interim freight-rate boost of 15 per cent and permanent increase of 20 per cent asked by the Canadian railways is going to arouse a furious opposition in various sections of the country since it is bound to affect the currently already higher-prices-than-normal even more so all along the line.

The actual basis for the new boosts requested by the railways is supposedly the new \$76,500,000 burden caused by the recent wage increase and "other sharply increased costs," with the railways alleging that costs of materials, wages and supplies have gone up since the 21 per cent boost was granted last March. It is also proposed by the railways that they can submit a plan to equalize certain class and commodity rates between Eastern and Western Canada in order to assist the Board of Transport Commissioners as far as possible in the elimination of any inequalities in the whole freight-rate structure. In addition, the railways want the hearing on this latest application to be held at the earliest possible date in September, with the forecast made in the application that will be a decrease in traffic volume for 1948 compared with 1947, quoting CPR traffic figures to show that in March, April and May this year alone revenue-ton miles of freight had decreased by 11 per cent and estimated deficiency in railway revenues for CPR for 1948 would be \$42,149,000, this being based on net railway earnings of \$24,859,000 before Federal income and Provincial corporation taxes.

Said In The Capital

"This result was attained without any trace of influence or pressure from Canada," stated Premier King referring to Newfoundland's decision to join Canada.

"Mr. Drew is recognized as a strong leader and is well thought of in Quebec," said Ivan Sabourin, chief of the Progressive-Conservatives in Quebec Province, this being regarded as a hint about the chances of Ontario's premier if he should throw his hat in the ring for the party's leadership.

"It would be good for the lads, good for Canada, and good for Australia," Thomas Dunbabin, official of the Australian Government bureau in this capital, in suggesting that Canada's 103,000 Boy Scouts send a delegation representing all provinces to the Jamboree to be held in Australia in December where 40 nations will take part.

"To many employers are discriminating against the older man on the score of age alone," declared Deputy Minister of Labor Arthur MacNamara here.

Weekly Wind-up

The growth of Canada's position on

the international scene is being brought home along Parliament Hill by the considerable remodelling of the premises now occupied by the Department of External Affairs in the Administration Buildings on the Hill.

The announcement by Australia of the creation of special forces for emergency United Nations commitments is not considered unusual here since this is in line with the United Nations charter.

It is hinted here that Canada's first television station or stations may be in operation by the end of next year, if not earlier.

Permanent residence is now being granted in Canada to most of the 4,500 Polish veterans who came here as immigrants in 1946 and 1947 for agricultural work.

It looks like Earl Mountbatten, former Viceroy of India, and Countess Mountbatten, will have a busy time when they will visit this capital late this month.

Miss Maude Weir May, who worked from 1881 until 1891 for Canada's first Prime Minister, Sir John A. Macdonald, doing general work and writing his personal letters because of her exceptionally attractive handwriting for typewriters were not used at that time, died in the capital at the age of 85.

Canada will be represented at the annual International Philatelic Exhibition at Basle, Switzerland, this month with an exhibit of Canadian stamps.

Under-Secretary of State Assistant W. P. J. O'Meara, K.C., returning from a trip abroad, stated here that there appeared to be at least a superficial air of prosperity on the continent and there was a considerable influx of Canadian as well as American visitors now, especially in Britain.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

When you buy for price you can never be sure. It's unwise to pay too much, but it's worse to pay too little. When you pay too much, you lose a little money, but that is all. BUT when you pay too little, you sometimes lose everything, because the thing you bought was incapable of doing the thing it was bought to do.

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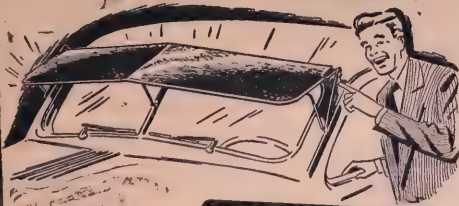


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A very pretty summer wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Mitts, Ridge Road, at 2.30 p.m., on August 4, when Marion Jean, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Mitts, became the bride of Bob Sherwood Sine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sine, formerly of Rawdon township, now of Campbellford.

The ceremony took place under an arch of evergreens, nicely decorated with white bells and pink and white streamers, with Rev. W. H. V. Walker officiating, while Mrs. Walker played the wedding music.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and looked charming in a gown of white satin, with white lace through skirt and waist. It was fashioned with sweetheart neckline and long sleeves, which extended to points over the wrist. Her only ornament was a strand of white pearls. Her finger tip veil fell gracefully over the shoulders as she carried a bouquet of red roses and ferns, tied with a white satin ribbon.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Barbara Saries, of Stirling, gowned in turquoise, with yellow accessories, and carried a nosegay of yellow roses and bachelor buttons mixed with fern and streamers of yellow satin ribbon.

Mr. Allen Sine, brother of the groom, acted as groomsman.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held for about forty guests at the home, with the bride's mother receiving in a gown of black and white check jersey, with black accessories, and a corsage of red roses and bachelor buttons. She was assisted by the groom's mother, wearing a gown of grey flowered jersey, with black accessories and a corsage of red roses and bachelor buttons.

The wedding supper was served on the lawn, the bride's table being decorated with summer flowers and centred with a three-tier wedding cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Sine travelled to Toronto, Niagara and Brantford. The bride's travelling dress was of blue crepe and black accessories. On their return they will take up residence in Belleville.

Wellman's W.I.

The July meeting of the Wellman's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. V. Taylor on Thursday, July 22nd. The meeting opened with the Lord's Prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the President, Mrs. Watson, in the absence of the secretary, Miss E. Rainie. It was moved and carried that a donation of \$5.00 be given to the Matthews relief fund.

The Program consisted of a solo by Mrs. Clifford Clancy, accompanied by Miss Ruth Clancy at the piano, and a duet by Mrs. Wm. Matthews and Mrs. V. Taylor. Readings were given by Mrs. E. Todd and Miss Della Johnston. A very interesting address was given by Mrs. Harper Rollins, of Stirling, "Our King In Peace and War." A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Rollins for the very educational address she had given to the Institute members. The meeting closed with the Institute Creed. Lunch was served and a social half hour enjoyed.

IDLE ONTARIO LAND

"Thousands of acres of land in Ontario is not producing and it should be," said W. R. Reek, president of O. A.C., in a recent address. "Canada has no new land to turn to, so every effort should be made to increase the productivity of our land in this province."

Stirling Juniors Won Over Belleville

On Monday night the Stirling Juniors won an easy victory over Belleville by a score of 17 to 2. Jimmy Faulkner, on the mound for the locals, pitched brilliantly, while Dobson, Mason, Black and Wannamaker starred at the plate. The locals pushed across 14 runs in the 4th inning and from then on the game was a listless affair.

Stirling—Rose, cf; Eggleston, c; Donnan, 2b; Dobson, 1b; Black, 3b; Hermonston, Mason, Faulkner, p; Wannamaker.

Belleville—Latchford, Nolan, Lupenette, Carr, Moore, Elliott, Snell, Blaind, Kemp.

Other Games of Week
Stirling Legionnaires and Mount Pleasant, who are waging a keen battle for second place in the Centre Hastings League, divided a pair of games during the past week.

On Friday night Mt. Pleasant defeated the Legion squad 16 to 12 in a hectic game, which saw the winners come from behind in the last inning to take the nod.

On Monday night it was a closer struggle with the Legionnaires managing to edge out a 13-12 victory, aided by some weird base running by the losers. Potter was on the mound for the winners and pitched good ball, while Noble and Bastedo, with triples were the heavy hitters.

Potts didn't have his usual stuff on the mound for the losers. Campbell and Stocker hit doubles, while Lavenander was the hitting star of the night on either team with three triples to his credit.

Stirling Defeats Glen Ross
On Saturday night Stirling defeated Glen Ross 13 to 4 in a one-sided game.

Report Tax Collector

(Continued from page one)

of the Fair.
Increase Theatre Prices
The matter of increasing the price of admission at the theatre was also discussed by Council. While members were reluctant to advance the prices, it was felt that due to increased operating costs some increase should be made. It was finally decided to increase the prices.

A request was tabled from Mrs. Russell Scott, of Belleville, for permission to hold a Tag Day for the Blind in Stirling on Saturday, September 11. The request was granted and the Clerk instructed to advise Mrs. Scott accordingly.

Councillor Elliott gave notice that at the next regular meeting of Council, he would introduce or cause to be introduced a bylaw for the revision of the cemetery rates.

The repairs to the Village sidewalks were discussed and this work will be undertaken as soon as the labour and equipment are available for the job.

The next meeting of Council will be held Monday, August 30th, the same to be advertised in the local paper.

The following accounts were presented for payment:—D. Reid, tile \$182.00; Stirling Machine Shop, \$5.10; Roofers' Supply, signs, \$16.50; Guy Bradshaw, \$10.75; Stirling Lumber Co., \$14.80; The Pedlar People, Ltd., \$170.91; Frank Stapley, \$170.02; E. G. Bailey, 75c; W. H. Bolte, \$30.00; Russell Construction Co., \$1639.00; D. M. Sine, gravel, \$120.00; Harry Jones, \$4.50; W. C. Stapley, \$68.40; T. C. McConnell, \$22.50; Douglas Luery, \$6.50; Geen's Taxi, \$16.00; News-Argus, \$24.75; Stirling Motor Sales, \$2.00; Stirling Lumber Co., \$5.36; R. E. Gould, cartage, \$1.00; Morley Phillips, \$5.50; Gordon Bailey, \$4.00; Stirling Welding, \$9.70.

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Tour of Peterborough Industrial Plants Sponsored By Stirling W.I.

Thirty-Three Ladies Visit Quaker Oats, Brinton Carpet and DeLaval Premises

(By Florence MacMullen)

On Friday morning, August 13th, thirty-three women boarded Wamamaker's Bus at Stirling Community Hall at 9.15 a.m. and enjoyed a delightful motor trip to the city of Peterborough despite the fact that it was "Friday the 13th." So it was plainly seen the group were not superstitious.

At Peterborough Mr. F. C. Patterson, Agricultural Representative, welcomed the group to the city in the absence of the Mayor and at 10.45 the ladies were taken by guides through the four-story Quaker Oats building. Here they saw the Quaker products made, boxed and bagged. Perhaps the most interesting was the popping of the puffed wheat, the baking of muffets, the various kinds of packages of flours and the mill feed. The group were shown the burlap bags, sewn and dyed, also the cotton bags and they spent a delightful hour sight-seeing and asking questions.

All registered in the office register and were presented with a box of Muffets as a souvenir. Photographers took pictures of the group for the Peterborough Examiner, and the ladies were given a hearty invitation to return again in the future.

Following lunch down town and a bit of shopping, the group were taken to the Brinton Carpet Manufacturing Company, where guides conducted a tour of their plant. Here rugs of all sizes, shapes and colours were being woven and it was a revelation to the group to see the difference between Jacquard and spool axminster and Wilton rugs. This is the only plant in North America and the huge store-room contained a large assortment of rugs ready for shipping. The show room displayed a number of rugs in all their beauty, where the buyers choose what they think will sell to best advantage in their district.

From here the group were taken to the DeLaval plant where another conducted tour gave the sight-seers a chance to see the unfinished product dumped in heaps and from this it was carried through various stages until it emerged as working parts of cream separators, milking machines, factory churns and bottle washers. In another room the metal was put through huge machines where it was cut, polished and came out as small nuts, bolts, taps, etc., and they were also shown the complete making and finishing of separator bowls, discs, etc.

The group were then taken by bus to the famous Armour Hill to view the scenic beauties of the surrounding district and the famous lift lock. Another short period was spent in shopping before the homeward trip to Stirling. While in the city the group were joined by Mrs. Alfred Brown (formerly of this district) and Mrs. Arthur Hamblin, of the Oak Hill district, who both reside now in Peterborough.

The trip was sponsored by Stirling Women's Institute, with all arrangements made by the President, Mrs. Henry Cooke, and the Secretary, Mrs. Will West, and the assistance of the Agricultural Representative, Mr. A. O. Dairymple, of Stirling, and Mr. F. C. Patterson, Agricultural Representative of Peterborough.

There were eighteen from Stirling, thirteen from Pine Grove and two from River Valley Institutes, including members and visitors. The trip was a grand success and the Stirling Institute are to be commended for their efforts in staging this educational trip.

Those making the trip were Mrs. H. Cooke, Mrs. Will West, Miss Marabelle West, Mrs. Hiram Rodgers, Mrs. Louis Rodgers, Miss Laura McGee, Mrs. Geo. Pollard, Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Mrs. Edgar Morrow, Mrs. J. Lee, Mrs. Geo. McGinnison, Mrs. R. B. Gould, Mrs. S. McMurray, Mrs. Henry Tulloch, Miss Ruth Tulloch, Mrs. Everett Cooke, Mrs. M. Ward, Miss M. Calvert, of Stirling; Mrs. Harold Dettor and two sons, Douglas and Ralph, Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. Alex. Tanner, Mrs. C. Ross, Mrs. Frank Finkle, Mrs. Fred Kingston, Mrs. G. Bartindale, Miss Doreen Bartindale, Miss L. Kingston, Mrs. Hodley Hannah, Mrs. Blain Johnson, Mrs. Alfred Lake and Mrs. Milton Reid, of Pine Grove Institute,

Play-Off Game Here Tonight

Weather permitting, the second game of the O.A.S.A. Intermediate "C" play-offs between Wooler and Stirling will take place at the Recreational Grounds, Church St., to-night (Thursday) at 8 p.m. In the event of inclement weather, the second game will be played on Friday night at the same time and place.

Should a third game be necessary to declare a winner, it will be played in Stirling on Saturday night at 8 p.m.

These teams are evenly matched and the fans are assured of a close struggle. So be on hand for the second game, to-night at 8 p.m.

Schools Re-open September 7th

Holidays are more than half over for the hundreds of school children in Stirling and the surrounding community. Announcement has been made by the Department of Education, Toronto, that schools will re-open on Tuesday, September 7th, for the fall term. As it is, pupils and students will get an extra few days because the Labor Day holiday is so far advanced this year.

Mauro Entertainers Here Fair Night

Gus Mauro's Entertainers, of Toronto, will provide the entertainment at the evening show in Stirling Theatre, in connection with the Stirling Fair, on Saturday, September 18th, according to Secretary E. D. Ketcheson of the Agricultural Society. The programme committee also plans holding the usual Fair night dance at the Fair Grounds, with a good orchestra in attendance. Gus Mauro will also provide a clown for the entertainment of the children at the Fair grounds in the afternoon.

Attend Frankford Legion Ceremony

Several members of Stirling Branch of the Canadian Legion attended the annual decoration day held by Frankford Legion on Sunday. The parade was headed by the Peterborough Salvation Army Band and the Lions Club Band of Trenton.

BETHEL BRIDE AND GROOM GIVEN PRESENTATION

On Friday evening, August 13th, the friends and neighbours of Mr. Bob Sine gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sine to honour Bob and his bride, the former Marion Mitts.

Rev. H. C. Vackavik very capably acted as master of ceremonies for the evening. A round of community singing was enjoyed, led by Mrs. Walter Warren and Mrs. Ray Shortt at the piano. Readings were given by Mrs. Lindsay Tanner and Mrs. S. J. Elliott. Plans were given by Miss Bernice Hagerman and Miss Marlene Hadley. Mrs. Walter Warren rendered a solo, "Serenade of the Bells," with Mrs. Ray Shortt as accompanist. Rev. Mr. Vackavik sang a solo, with Mrs. Vackavik accompanying.

Mr. B. C. Tucker spoke on behalf of the community and expressed the best wishes of all for the happiness of the young couple.

Following this an address was read by Mr. James Johnson and a studio clock, table mirror and water set were presented by Messrs. Don Thompson, Ernie Reid, John Orser and Nathan Sine.

Both Bob and Marion replied very fittingly expressing their gratitude for the kind gesture and inviting everyone to their new home.

Lunch was served and concluded a very happy occasion.

Mrs. Hugh Jones and Mrs. Percy MacMullen, of River Valley W.I.

LOCAL BOWLERS COMPETE IN DIST. PLAY-OFFS

One rink of Stirling bowlers competed in the District No. 15 P.L.B.A. play-offs held on the greens of the Trenton Lawn Bowling Club on Friday afternoon and evening.

Rinks from Belleville, Madoc, Stirling, Trenton and Campbellford were on hand, with the locals remaining in the running until the finals with Campbellford, when they lost 21 to 8. The local rink was composed of F. R. Malloy, A. K. Stinson, W. T. Elliott and R. E. Fox.

Fred Harper, of Belleville, won his way through to the finals in the singles defeating H. Ormslow, of Trenton, 21-12.

In the doubles competition, pairs from Trenton, Belleville, Madoc, Campbellford and Brighton took part and in the finals A. D. Bennett and W. Higgins, of Campbellford, defeated Hyde and Watkin, of Belleville, 20-14.

The winning rink from Campbellford were J. Archer, L. Glover, A. J. Myers, and B. J. Taylor.

All winners will represent the local district at the Provincial Meet in Hamilton, on Labor Day.

Passes C.L.U. Exams.

Friends are extending congratulations to Mr. E. D. Ketcheson, local representative of the Canadian Life Assurance Company, on passing the second year exams, on his C.L.U. course.

Rawdon Reeve Breaks Leg

Reeve W. J. Morrison, of Rawdon Township, sustained a broken leg in an accident at his farm, 4th concession, on Friday last. He was working at a tractor plow when the accident occurred, and both bones of his left leg were fractured just above the ankle. Dr. E. A. Carleton, of Stirling, rendered first aid and the injured man was taken to Belleville Hospital, where the fractures were reduced on Saturday. He returned home on Sunday.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Mrs. Margaret Tompkins is visiting relatives in Kemptville.

Mr. Bob Hatton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Baker, Elmville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Munro attended the funeral of the latter's aunt, Mrs. I. Ferrier, at Perth, on Thursday last. Mr. E. W. Ormslow, of Toronto, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Rollins.

Miss Jean Sheffield, of West Huntingdon, spent the week-end with Miss Frances Morrison, Rawdon.

Mr. Geo. Abbott, of Toronto, was a recent overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hatton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Goodridge, Napanee.

Miss Geraldine Conley, R.N., has returned to Kingston, after spending three weeks with Miss M. Osborne. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Wilson, of Font-hill, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Munro, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Allen of Peterboro were guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whitehead.

Miss Shirley Ormslow of Toronto, was a week end guest of Miss Beverly Ingram.

Mrs. Janet Utman and Mrs. Pearl Mudd spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Couch of Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Munro and Wayne have returned home after enjoying a trip to Wasago Beach, North Bay and Sudbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burrell and Mr. Eugene Burrell spent the week end at Rochester, N.Y., visiting friends and attended Caledonia Fair.

Mrs. Jim Whitman, of Rochester, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burrell and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burrell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Good and family returned home on Sunday after spending two weeks camping at Otty Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Elliott entertained Miss Phyllis David and Miss Emma Cole on Tuesday evening after

BRIDE HONOURED BY FRIENDS IN COMMUNITY

Some forty-five ladies gathered at St. John's Parish Hall, on Monday, evening to do honour to Mrs. Peter Woods, formerly Miss Effie Heard, a recent bride. The hall was artistically decorated with gladioli, petunias and phlox and Mrs. J. B. Belshaw acted as chair lady for the evening.

Following the chair lady's opening remarks, community singing was enjoyed, with Mrs. N. Heath at the piano. Mrs. H. Cooke read an appropriate address and Mrs. Thos. Tanner made the presentation of a water set and an embossed teapot to Mrs. Woods, on behalf of St. John's Church, of which the bride is a valued member.

The sentiments of the community were then expressed in an address read by Mrs. Harry Smith, and Mrs. H. Cooke and Mrs. T. Tanner presented the honoured guest with an upholstered rocking chair and occasional table on behalf of her many friends in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods very graciously thanked the donors for their beautiful gifts and the spirit that prompted them, followed by brief addresses by Messrs. J. B. Belshaw and R. Geen, Mrs. Wellman, of Marmora, Mrs. Earl Morrow and Mrs. C. I. Hatton. A dainty lunch was served by the ladies and after the singing of "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows," all present were given an opportunity to inspect the gifts. The singing of the National Anthem brought the evening to a close.

To Preach Farewell

Rev. C. C. Brazil, rector of St. John's Church, Stirling, for the past five years, will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday evening, August 22, at 7.30. He begins his ministry at St. Edmund's Church, Toronto, on September 1st.

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Wooler Defeated Stirling In First Game of O.A.S.A. Play-Offs

Hooks Large Pickerel

You don't have to travel to the rivers and lakes in northern Hastings County to catch prize-winning fish as Thos. MacConnell, local painter and decorator, as well as an ardent fisherman, has proven the last week.

Fishing in Rawdon Creek, just below the mill pond dam on Friday evening last, he hooked an 81-pound pickerel, 27 inches long, with a girth measurement of 15 inches. "This is only one of several that I have caught in Rawdon Creek this year, but it is the largest," stated Mr. MacConnell.

Winner of Cooke Scholarship

Announcement was made this week by Principal J. L. Good of the local High School that Kenneth Black had won the Hon. J. R. Cooke Scholarship, value \$50, for 1948.

The scholarship goes to the pupil of the local school with the highest aggregate marks on eight Upper School papers. Kenneth's many friends join in extending congratulations.

War Time Houses Ready

Stirling's wartime houses on the Marmora Road site are now ready for occupancy and are being allotted to the different applicants. Mr. and Mrs. A. Abernethy and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Patterson moved into their new homes yesterday and several other families are expected to move in before the end of the week.

Springbrook I.O.O.F. Decoration Day

With perfect weather and a large number of brethren from their own lodge and visitors from Campbellford and Stirling lodges, Springbrook Lodge I.O.O.F., No. 429, held their annual decoration ceremony at Mont Nebo cemetery. Flowers were laid on the graves of Oddfellows interred there, while the names of members buried elsewhere were also read.

Bro. Clayton Burkitt, Past D.D.G.M., gave the Noble Grand's oration. Bro. Reg. McKeown acted as Chaplain; Bro. A. B. McComb, as Secretary, and Bro. Thos. H. Prest, as Marshal. After the ceremony all members repaired to the hall and refreshments were served.

PUBLIC SCHOOL SECTION ADDED TO PRIZE LIST

In keeping with its policy of promoting junior work in connection with the annual Fall Fair, the Directors of the Stirling Agricultural Society have added a public school section to the prize list this year. The pupils of any public school in the Village and adjacent townships of Rawdon and Sidney are eligible to compete. A portion of the main building will be reserved for the exhibits of the schools, each school being given a table 6 ft by 3 ft on which to make their display.

Six dollars will be given for every exhibit, three by the Stirling Agricultural Society, and three by the School Section. No school will be eligible to compete unless the School Section gives its share of the donation.

School Parade

There will also be a School Parade for which good prizes are offered — 1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$7.00; 3rd, \$5.00; and 4th to 8th, \$2.00 each. Full particulars may be obtained from Secretary E. D. Ketcheson.

Add Writing Section

In addition to the usual prizes offered for garden produce, manual training, household science, art, and miscellaneous articles, a section for writing has been added.

Teachers, parents and children are asked to co-operate in making this one of the best school exhibits in Central Ontario.

Errors Prove Downfall of Locals in Close Struggle — Winners Won It in Ninth

In the first game of the Ontario Amateur Softball Association Intermediate "C" playdowns, the classy Wooler squad defeated Stirling 9 to 8 in Trenton on Monday night.

Wooler took the lead in the first inning by virtue of a walk to Austin, a homer by Redcliffe, a single by Stacey and a sacrifice by Richards, to net them three runs. However Stirling put on a rousing rally in the second to shove five runs across the plate to take the lead.

Wooler made the count 6 to 5 in the third when Stacey homered and McColl and Brown crossed the plate on hits by Richards and Scott.

Noble tied the count in the first of the sixth when he doubled and stole third and home, only to have Wooler again take the lead when Austin counted on an error and a hit by Stacey. In the eighth Wooler added another to make the count 8 to 6 only to have Stirling tie up the old ball game with two runs in the first of the ninth. The winners notched the winning tally in the last of the ninth with Leavitt producing the hit that drove Scott home.

Barney McColl was on the mound for the winners and pitched a steady brand of ball. L. Redcliffe did the catching. Stacey, Austin and Richard were the winners' best hitters while Leavitt starred in the field with several nice catches in addition to driving in the winning run.

"Tip" Tummon and Potts divided the pitching duties for Stirling, with Kreh doing the catching. Noble, Basteda, Donohue and Morton were their best hitters. Too many errors spoiled Stirling's chances, with eight miscues being chalked up against them to four by their opponents.

Rodgers, local pitching ace, was unable to play due to an injured hand and he was missed from the line-up.

Wooler — Austin, 1b; L. Redcliffe, c; Stacey, cf; McColl, p; Brown, 1b; Richards, 2b; Scott, 3b; G. Redcliffe, ss; Leavitt, rf.

Stirling — Morton, 1b; Tanner, 3b; Kreh, c; Bates, 1b; Donohue, ss; Shannon, 2b; Tummon, p; Bastedo, cf; Fraser, rf. Potts replaced Tummon in the sixth and Noble replaced Bastedo in the 4th.

Score by innings:
Wooler 3 0 3 0 1 0 1 1—9
Stirling 0 5 0 1 0 0 2 0—8
Officials—Steenburg, at plate, and Harry Brown, on the bases.

Casey Shows Coming To Fair

Secretary E. D. Ketcheson of the Stirling Agricultural Society announced this week that a contract had been signed with Casey Shows to provide the midway at the Stirling Fall Fair on Friday and Saturday, September 17th and 18th next. The Company has promised to bring five different rides as well as the usual games and refreshment booths.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. Garvin, of Belleville, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Rita Marguerite, to Thomas Frederick Donohoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Donohoe, of Stirling, the wedding to take place in the Church of St. Michael the Archangel, Belleville, on September 8th.

Second Vote At Tweed

A second plebiscite will be held in Tweed on August 25th when the citizens of that town will decide whether they wish a men's beverage room established in the Hotel. Last November, the voters obtained 59.4 per cent of the vote but another plebiscite was ordered by the County Judge following a hearing of certain irregularities.

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On the south side of the sports field model aircraft flying competitions and the giant midway will provide continuous entertainment for all. There will be five rides and numerous other novel forms of entertainment. Half of

Winner of the lucky draw was Mr. and Mrs. Morley Grills of Campbellford. The prize was donated by Mr. Walker Grills, Belleville. Prizes were also presented to the oldest gentleman present, Mr. Joe Grills, 63, of Stirling; oldest lady, Mrs. William Grills, 84, of Belleville; youngest baby, Barbara Marlene Berg, nine weeks, of Campbellford.

Smith.

The sports and contest committee provided a fine programme of races and stunts. The boys enjoyed a ball game while a social time was spent by the others in the hall.

The Babe also referred to the Canadians who had made good in organized ball. As he pointed out, any Philadelphia fan can go into detail on that subject this season with Phil Mar-

"If more people used bicycles for their Sunday afternoon jaunts there would not be so many cars cluttering up the roads and causing traffic jams and accidents," comments Mr. Swift. "That is, if they cycled in a properly disciplined way when on the public highway. And if young people and school children organized cycling clubs they could train themselves in safe riding habits, and use their week-ends for tours of educational and recreational value. Promoting such clubs would do a lot to discourage juvenile delinquency."

Miss Doris Thompson spent a few days last week with Miss Norma Wood, of Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lough, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lough and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shortt attended a birthday party at the home of Mrs. L. Phillips, Mar-

W.M.S. Meeting

The Stewardship Secretary gave paper on "Good Stewardship." Mr. Percy MacMullen synthesized the M

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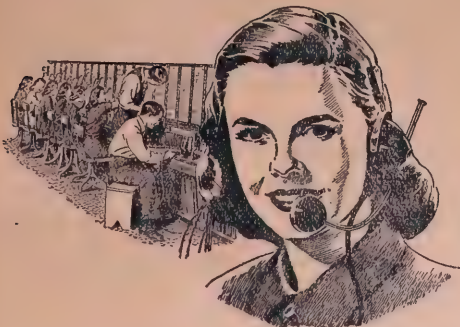
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PREPARING CATTLE FOR THE SHOW RING

With the approach of fall fairs requests are always received by the Animal Husbandry Division of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, for pointers on fitting animals for exhibition. Preparing dairy animals for the

show ring, or even for the auctioneer's platform, needs care and extra work, but the additional effort will be well repaid in competitive showing or in more profitable sales.

The best way to get good results is to follow the procedure adopted by good showmen, says V. S. Logan of the

Animal Husbandry Division. Selection of the animals to be exhibited is usually made well in advance of showing time. Indeed, the cows to be shown in the milking and dry classes will be bred to freshen or approach freshening at the most suitable time to compete in their respective classes.

During the preparation for shows or sales, the feeding is regulated to produce medium or slightly better than medium fleshing, a sleek hair coat and mellow skin. The controlled feeding of young stock is even more important than that of mature animals.

Training the animals to lead on a halter at an early age is most important in the preparation for exhibition, for in close competition an animal that leads and stands well will attract the attention of the judge to her good qualities.

All show stock should be blanketed with a light to medium weight blanket from two to three weeks before exhibiting. Frequent and thorough brushing will improve the conditions of the hair coat. It is common practice to clip the tail, face, ears and neck on a line down to the shoulder, but care should be taken to avoid over-clipping. Beginners could well seek the advice of an experienced showman. The hoofs should be pared periodically.

The day before the exhibition the animal should be thoroughly washed and kept covered with a medium-heavy blanket. Ample bedding should be provided. The tail should be braided into several braids and on the day of the exhibition should be combed out into a wavy switch. The horns should be scraped and sandpapered and then polished with an oily cloth before going into the ring. Wiping the animal down with an oiled cloth will give a desirable sheen to the hair.

In the ring the exhibitor should show the animal to best advantage all the time and should be alert both in handling the animal and in receiving direction from the judge. He should also remember that everybody cannot win, and win or lose the experience gained makes an award more likely in another class or at another fair.

MORE ALFALFA SEED NOW GROWN IN WEST

Productions of alfalfa seed in Canada, based on records maintained for the past 20 years by the Plant Products Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture, is making rapid strides. In 1929, production was placed at less than one million pounds. By 1939, production had increased to about five and one-half million pounds and last year to nearly 11 million pounds. Current prospects indicate that the 1948 crop may be even larger than in 1947, says H. R. Farnell, of the Plant Products Division.

Even more noticeable than the increased production has been the movement of producing areas westward from Ontario. In 1929, practically the total crop was grown in that province. By 1935, however, the possibilities of producing alfalfa seed in Western Canada were being realized. As the knowledge spread that alfalfa seed of superior quality could be a profitable crop in certain areas of the West, production has increased there very considerably, while that of Ontario has declined. In 1947 over 90 per cent of the total crop was grown in Manitoba,

Saskatchewan and Alberta; Saskatchewan alone accounted for over five million pounds.

As the result of increased production in recent years Canada has had relatively large quantities of seed available for export. Canadian grown alfalfa seed has gained an excellent reputation on world markets and the United States has become a market for a good share of the surplus seed. Exports from the 1947 crop were the largest on record and amounted to nearly eight million pounds valued at about three million dollars.

RIGHT WAY TO LIFT

A Canadian farmer noted for his strength and also for his unassuming wisdom, was asked how he managed to lift such heavy weights. "Well," he answered, "I am naturally strong, but a man might be as strong as an ox, and yet strain his back in lifting a comparatively light weight, if he lifts the wrong way. Don't lift with your back. Lift with your legs by bending your knees, and keep your back as straight as possible without straining to do so. That is keep your back as vertical as possible to the ground when lifting."

"And don't show off. If you find you cannot heave a sack or anything else unaided onto your shoulders, get someone to give a hand. If the weight to be lifted is too heavy to carry alone, don't have false pride, get help. There is a limit in everyone to the amount of strain the muscles will stand, especially on your back. And the way to lift is to lift with the legs. They are the natural elevators."

If the public continues to buy its current quantity of milk and ice cream, there will be less cheese and butter made in Canada this year.

ALLOW SHEEP, LAMB EXPORTS TO U.S.A.

Effective since Tuesday, August 3, export permits are no longer required for sheep and lambs going to United States markets, nor for mutton and lamb carcasses and the various by-products associated with them.

The reason for this change is that there is no contract for the shipment of mutton and lamb carcasses to Great Britain for the 1948-49 production period, and since the season of heavy marketings of both sheep and lambs is near at hand, it is desirable to give Canadian sheep producers full access to the available markets. Canadian and United States wholesale prices of lamb carcasses have recently come very close together, particularly in the east, if Canadian prices are adjusted to allow for freight and duty which must be paid on shipments going to the United States. The wholesale mutton price in the United States has been slightly higher than the Canadian price, but as mutton is not consumed extensively in Canada, it is not expected that Canadian consumers will be greatly affected by the change in policy.

NEW BULLETIN IN REED CANARY GRASS

Reed canary grass grows wild in the northern United States and Canada and is gradually increasing in importance as a cultivated grass. One of the reasons is that it thrives best in moist locations and where the climate is relatively cool, although it is not sensi-

tive to heat or cold. It is one of the few cultivated grasses that is not damaged when flooded for some considerable time. Indeed it will grow and thrive in water for at least 7 weeks in the spring of the year without being injured. While on most well-drained upland soils it is not as satisfactory as some other cultivated grasses in yield and quality of feed, it does respond well on productive upland soil which has ample supply of moisture for spring and early summer growth. It is adapted to fertile soils, muck or fairly well decomposed peat. It is not suited to alkali land, raw fibrous peat, or floating bogs.

On land where it is well adapted reed canary grass is very valuable for pasture. Its characteristic of starting growth early in the spring, and continuing growth throughout the summer and fall, makes it a valuable pasture plant. While it is somewhat inferior to some other grasses, an abundance of nutritious and palatable hay may be obtained if it is cut at the proper time and is well cured. The best hay is usually secured following pasturing, but the yield is lower.

Reed canary grass will make palatable and nutritious silage and its use for this purpose might be considered in sections of the country where other silage crops do not grow well. Under weather conditions which make the curing of the grass for hay impossible, ensiling could be resorted to in order to save the crop.

Feeding trials have shown that good quality reed canary grass hay compares favourably with timothy hay. As a pasture it appears to be about equal to bromes and timothy and bromes in palatability. Chemical analysis indicates that as a fresh feed it is about equal to timothy, while as hay it is inferior to timothy and red top. As silage it compares favourably with corn from a nutrient standpoint.

The Division of Forage Plants, Central Experimental Farm, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, has prepared a bulletin dealing with all aspects of reed canary grass culture and use. To obtain a copy of this bulletin, write to Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, and ask for Publication No. 805, Reed Canary Grass.

GROWERS INVITED TO SHOW AT FAIRS

With favourable cereal and small seed crops in most sections of Ontario this year there is an opportunity for growers to display and advertise the products of their fields at local fairs and shows, and at major exhibitions. R. E. Goodin, Fieldman of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, points out. There are approximately 300 of these events annually throughout the Prov-

ince, and separate sections are provided at each of them for various kinds of seeds.

Excellent conditions for harvesting have prevailed this year, and growers should have little difficulty in preparing suitable exhibits, which will be creditable to themselves and their communities from the standpoint of crop production.

At such shows as the Canadian National Exhibition, substantial prizes are provided for agricultural society classes, while at the Royal Winter Fair, world championships are offered in wheat, oats, barley, rye and potatoes. Now is the ideal time for growers to select and prepare entries from their best fields.

AFTER HARVEST CULTIVATION IS VERY IMPORTANT

This is the season of the year when many farmers are giving attention to after-harvest cultivation. From the standpoint of weed control, says R. E. Goodin, fieldman of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, much can be accomplished, as cultivation during these summer days provides proper circumstances for weed seeds to sprout and the young plants can be destroyed by minimum effort with mechanical equipment. Furthermore, roots of twigs grass, sow thistle and other perennial weeds can be brought to the surface for exposure to the drying effects of sun and wind.

After-harvest cultivation is also effective in putting the soil in good tilth for succeeding crops. Therefore, it is often the practice of progressive farmers to plow up old meadows, run-out pastures and fields that are not productive at this time of the year, after which these fields are given frequent cultivation and either seeded to fall crops or suitably prepared for the early seeding which gives maximum production during the next growing season.

Good farming practices, says Mr. Goodin, also include plowing under green manure crops to add organic matter, an important requisite of productive soil. Clover aftermath or buckwheat are often used for turning under during the late summer and fall months, while rye and sweet clover are often seeded, to be plowed under in the following spring.

A suitable crop rotation should not be overlooked, and it should be planned, keeping in mind a successful, long-range crop production program, in order to (1) maintain the organic matter supply, (2) restore nitrogen, (3) alternate crops having different root systems and habits of growth.

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Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
Sunday, August 22nd, 1948
9.30 a.m. — West Huntingdon.
11.00 a.m. — Union Service in St. Paul's

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. H. C. Vacklavik — Minister
Sunday, August 22nd, 1948
11.00 a.m. — Mount Pleasant.
2.30 p.m. — Wellman's.
8.00 p.m. — Bethel.

There will be an Induction Service at Mount Pleasant on Friday, Aug. 20, at 8 o'clock.

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. R. W. Barker, M.A., S.T.B. Minister
Sunday, August 22nd, 1948
11.00 a.m. — Union Service.
Carmel Service withdrawn.

Mount Pleasant

The family of Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes gathered at their home, Mount Pleasant, and enjoyed a special birthday dinner with all the trimmings in honor of the birthday of their mother. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Holmes, Marilyn and Melburn, of Kingston; and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Holmes, Joan and Beverly, of Madoc. On Sunday evening at Mount Pleasant United Church, Mrs. Marguerite McMullen rendered a vocal solo.

A number of Mount Pleasant folk attended Belleville Fair this week. Mrs. Burton Sharp and Mrs. Percy MacMullen attended River Valley Women's Institute last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Alex Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ruttan and Marie, of Kingston, and Miss Doris Sine spent an evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Demorest, Stirling. Mr. and Mrs. Ruttan and daughter returned home on Sunday, after a two-weeks' holiday at Mount Pleasant.

Mrs. Gilbert Smith spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson, of Detlor.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen enjoyed the educational trip to Peterborough on Friday, sponsored by the Stirling Women's Institute. The group of thirty-three were shown through the Quaker Oats Factory, Brinton Carpet Factory and DeLaval Factory.

A large number of the farmers have completed threshing operations for this season.

Miss Edna Hubble, of Peterborough, spent a week recently with her father, Mr. Will Hubble, and brother, Mr. Grant Hubble.

Mrs. Earl Ruttan and Marie, Kingston, and Miss Doris Sine were dinner guests on Wednesday, August 11th, at the home of Mrs. Percy MacMullen. Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes attended the Holmes Reunion at Madoc on Wednesday, August 11th.

Among those from this district who attended the Orange Celebration commemorating the Siege of Derry, held in Brighton, on Saturday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Fred King, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scott and children, Mr. and Mrs. John A. McMullen, Mrs. Charles Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Baleman, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Brady and Mr. Stan Royle.

Bethel

Master Raymond Ross, of Chatterton, has returned home after spending his vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John McMullen.

Rev. H. C. Vacklavik and Mrs. Vacklavik were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Elliott on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Warren and Miss Leo Denike, of Toronto, had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Harper Rollins on Friday evening of last week.

Miss M. Hull, of Lakefield, spent a week with Mrs. Henry Allen and Melanie.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Warren were Mr. and Mrs. James Barron, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Warren, of Stirling, also Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warren and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thompson, Beverly and Clark, of Trenton, were

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, August 22nd, 1948

10.00 a.m. — Sunday School
11.00 a.m. — Lord's Supper
2 p.m. — Gospel Bible Broadcast
8 p.m. Thursday — Prayer and Bible Study
7.30 p.m. — Gospel Service
Speaker: Mr. Orton, Toronto.

recent Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John McMullen.

Tuesday Mrs. James Warren entertained at afternoon tea Mrs. Leslie Thompson, Mrs. Walter Warren, Mrs. Ray Sine, Mrs. Edwin Warren and Miss Leo Denike.

Dr. R. Hendry and Mrs. Hendry and daughter, Janet, of Toronto, spent last week with Mrs. Chas. Dracup and returned home on Tuesday, Mrs. Dracup returning with them.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Elliott were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelley and Mr. Wm. Kelley.

We are glad to welcome home the Mayor and wife of the City of Sine, after making a rather extensive visit to most of the important places in western Canada. We believe the trip did him a world of good, since he seems to have gained about fifty lbs. in weight. He will soon lose that for he is back in the harness again and going stronger than ever. His new office which he erected on "Paradise Alley" was officially opened on August 12th by the "Lloyd of Kingdom Come."

Mr. B. C. Tucker and Mrs. Ray Shortt were week-end guests of Dr. Chas. Green and Mrs. Green at their summer home, Salmon Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Oddie Coultis, of Trenton, and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Toronto were recent callers on Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sine and Mrs. Rebecca Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKeown have returned home after visiting relatives and friends in Western Canada.

Minto

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Preston and family, of Plainfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cotton and family were Sunday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Courtney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner and Mrs. Morgan entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heath, Mrs. Flossie Laycock and John and Lynne Adams, of Toronto, on Sunday.

There will be no services in Salem United Church through August as Rev. Everson is taking his holidays. St. Thomas Anglican has had no services for the past two Sundays but on August 22, Rev. C. C. Brazil will preach his farewell sermon at 2.30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright and Mr. Wm. Hagerman attended the Orange Service at Beulah United Church, on Sunday and spent the tea hour with Mr. and Mrs. George Wood.

Miss Patsy Sine is spending a couple of weeks in Peterborough. Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. George McMaster that they have reached Alberta and are enjoying a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holden.

St. Thomas W.A. held a dinner and quilting in the Orange Hall on Tuesday and on Thursday Mrs. Everett Heath was hostess to St. Mark's and St. Thomas' Branches of the W.A. A bountiful pot luck dinner was served at noon and a quilt was done for Mrs. Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Rodgers, Ridge Road.

A large crowd of friends and neighbours attended the shower held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sine for Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sine on Friday night. Threshing is the order of the day in this community.

Wellmans

Miss Loretta Ryan and Miss June Dunham, of Belleville, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham.

Miss Evelyn Dean, of Fuller, is holidaying at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pauley.

Mr. Roy Sharp, of Kingston, spent the week-end at the home of his father, Mr. Clifford Sharp.

Miss Joyce Johnston, of Campbellford, spent a few days at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ernest Mayhew.

Mrs. Paul Sharp and Jack spent Sunday at Crystal Beach.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Vacklavik took dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham and family.

Rev. W. Mack and family, of Kentville, and Mr. John Farrell, of Molra, took tea Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher and called on Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pauley and family.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Geo. Haggerty returned home from the Belleville Hospital on Saturday much

improved in health.

Master Craig Watson took tea Sunday evening with Master Glenn Graham.

Mrs. Russell Johnson spent the past week visiting friends at Detlor. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mason and family, of Sudbury, are spending their holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher.

Mrs. Paul Sharp spent a couple of days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Douglas, of White Lake. Those from Wellmans who attended the Black Lodge celebration in Brighton on Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Fred King, Mr. and Mrs. Carman Nix and Charles, Mr. Victor Graham, Mr. Jack Sharp and Mr. Will Preston.

Miss Marlene Haggerty is holidaying with relatives at Norwood.

Pethericks

The Women's Association of Zion met at the home of Miss Susie Wright one Wednesday afternoon with an attendance of thirty. Mrs. Albert Petherick announced the following program: Hymn; Scripture reading, Mrs. Thos. Fry; solo, with guitar accompaniment, Mrs. Douglas Ingram; reading, Mrs. Roy Fry; guitar duet, Misses Elizabeth and Joyce Barnum; reading, by Miss Fern Tinney; contest, Mrs. Lorne Hay.

During the business session plans were made for a church supper in September. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Caroline Wright's. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. J. S. Loynes, of London, spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnum.

Zion Church is being repaired and redecorated and Sunday School and Church Service will be held in the hall until this work is completed.

Mr. Norman Currie, Toronto, spent a few days visiting friends in this community.

Miss Helen Arnold, of Peterboro, spent the last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Arnold.

Miss Leah Reid, of Oshawa, visited at the home of her brother, Mr. Carl Reid, last week.

Mrs. Fred Barnum and Mrs. J. S. Loynes were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wallace, of town, on Friday night.

Mrs. Ernest Irwin is spending a few days this week visiting friends in Niagara.

The 70th Anniversary of Zion Church will be celebrated this year by a supper. Special service on September 19th.

Bonarlaw

Mrs. George S. Eastwood, of Whitby, spent a few days last week visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Lorne Anderson and children, of Keswick, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Mumby for a few days last week and called on friends in the community.

Thos. Anderson has taken up residence for the winter in his apartments in The Bellevue Hotel block.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barlow are occupying their summer cottage at Crowe Lake.

On Thursday of last week the W.A. of St. Mark's Church held a pot luck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heath, followed by a quilting party in the afternoon. Twenty-one persons sat down to a sumptuous repast. Visitors were present from St. Thomas' W.A.

Oak Lake

Misses Mary and Betty Lou Hagerman, of Newcastle, and Master Burton Patterson, of Clayton, N.Y., are holidaying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Searles.

Miss Doreen Bartindale is spending this week with her sister at Warsaw. Miss Esther F. Wickes, Toronto, is visiting Mrs. James and Miss Mae Currie.

Those taking the W.I. sponsored trip to Peterborough last Friday were Mrs. F. Kingston, Miss Aleita Kingston, Mrs. H. Detlor, Douglas and Ralph, Mrs. Wm. Bartindale and Miss Doreen Bartindale.

Marsh Hill

Among those taking the W.I. sponsored trip to Peterborough on Friday were Mrs. C. Ross, Mrs. Alex Tanner, Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. Hedley Hannah, Mrs. Blake Johnson and Mrs. Frank Finkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McConnell and family, of Mount Pleasant, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hollinger.

Mrs. C. Ross attended the "Siege of Derry" celebration at Brighton, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hensman are transferring from Toronto to Belleville and spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hensman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. Stiles and Ernest.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowe and family, of Hamilton, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McKeown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Cross and family have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Stiles and Mrs. W. S. Stiles and Ernest.

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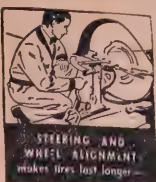
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Deaths

CHARD, MAUD—Entered into rest at Lindsay, at the Ross Memorial hospital, on August 15th, 1948, Mrs. Maud Chard, in her 85th year, beloved wife of W. P. Chard, and mother of Mrs. H. C. Trumppour (Florence), of Adolphustown; Mrs. R. M. Way (Blanche), of Lindsay; Mrs. J. M. Smith (Eva); Mrs. W. N. McLennan (Mary); Kenneth B. Chard, of Toronto. Service was from the McArthur Funeral Home, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1948, at 2:30 p.m. Interment Riverside Cemetery, Lindsay.

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Two-Year-Old Bull Owned By Herbert Watt, Foxboro, Senior Champion of Black and White Show

The county "Black and White Day", sponsored by the Hastings-Holstein Breeders' Club, the Belleville Agricultural Society and the Ontario Livestock Branch was easily the feature of the livestock show at the Belleville Fair as on Tuesday afternoon 99 of the county's best Holsteins from the herds of the county breeders were paraded for judging.

The "Black and White Day" was held at the Belleville Fair this year, being transferred there from Stirling to permit the breeders better accommodation for their cattle. The show was under the direction of Mr. Roy Ormiston, Holstein field man.

The two-year-old bull of Herbert Watt of Foxboro was adjudged the senior grand champion of the show, with the three-year-old bull of Jack Burnside of Madoc being the reserve senior champion and the reserve grand champion.

The junior champion bull was shown by David Hollinger, Foxboro, while Max Burnside of Madoc showed the reserve junior champion.

In the female classes Max Burnside showed the senior and grand champion, the prize being taken by a three-year-old heifer, while Allen B. McComb, of Bonarlaw with a two-year-old won the reserve senior and reserve grand championship. The junior champion was also shown by Allen McComb, with Max Burnside showing the reserve junior champion.

Following were the placings in the various classes:

Bull, three years old and over — Jack Burnside and Emile Masse.

Bull, 2 years — Herbert Watt, Allan B. McComb and Emile Masse.

Bull, senior yearling — Howard Finch and Son, Junior yearling — David Hollinger.

Bull, senior calf — Max Burnside, Herbert Watt, Jack Burnside, and Emile Masse. Junior calf — David L. Hollinger, Allan B. McComb, Herbert Watt and Howard Finch and Son.

Cow, 4 years and over, wet — Emile Masse 1-2, 4; David Hollinger; Harry E. Neal, 5-6; Herbert Watt, Longwell Estate, David Hollinger, Jack Burnside and Herbert Watt.

Cow, 4 years and over, dry — Harry Neal, Emile Masse, 2-3-5, Longwell Estate.

Heifer, 3 years, wet — Herbert Watt, Emile Masse and Allan McComb.

Heifer, 2 years, wet — Allan B. McComb 1-2; Max Burnside 3-4; Herbert Watt and Jack Burnside.

Heifer, 2 years, dry — Jack Burnside 1-3; Emile Masse 2-4-5; Harry Neal 6-7.

Heifer, senior yearling — Allan McComb, Emile Masse, 2-3; Max Burnside; Harry Neal; Jack Burnside.

Heifer, junior yearling — David Hollinger 1-2-3-4; Emile Masse, Howard Finch and Son; Jack Burnside, Philo Harris, 8-12; Howard Finch and Son Harry Neal 10-13; Allan McComb; Longwell Estate; David Hollinger.

Heifer, senior calf — Max Burnside, 1-2, Emile Masse, Philo Harris, Jack Burnside 5-6; Harry Neal and Longwell Estate.

Heifer, junior calf — Allan B. McComb, 1-4-5-7, Max Burnside, 2-7-8; David Hollinger 3-16; Max Burnside Jack Burnside, Emile Masse 11, 12, 17, Philo Harris, Herbert Watt, 14, 19, 20, Harry Neal and Longwell Estate.

Get-of-sire, 4 animals — Allan McComb, Emile Masse and Harry Neal. Get-of-sire, 3 junior animals—Jack Burnside, Emile Masse 2-7, Max Burnside, David Hollinger 4-8, Allan McComb 5-12, Herbert Watt, Philo Harris, Howard Finch and Son.

Senior Progeny — Allan McComb, Emile Masse 2-3-4, Jack Burnside and Longwell Estate.

Junior Progeny — Emile Masse 1-4, Max Burnside, David Hollinger, Jack Burnside, Allan McComb, Harry Neal, Finch and Son, and Philo Harris.

Graded herd, Emile Masse, Allan McComb, David Hollinger, Jack Burnside, Max Burnside, and Herbert Watt.

Junior Herd — David Hollinger, Max Burnside, Allan McComb, Emile Masse, Jack Burnside and Finch and Son.

WHEAT CROP SEEN ABOVE LAST YEAR'S

The latest estimate on Canada's 1948 wheat crop is placed some 31,000,000 bushels above last year's production, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics said Tuesday of this week.

This year's crop is now estimated at approximately 372,000,000 bushels, the Bureau said. It added, however, despite the sharp increase over 1947 production, the expected crop would still be 35,000,000 bushels below the 10-year 1938-47 average output.

West Huntingdon

Young People's Union

Miss Margaret Haggerty entertained the Young People's Union meeting at her home on Friday evening with a good attendance of members present. Rev. Harold Burgess brought the special message and Miss Jean Haggerty conducted the Scripture Reading. Don Wilson gave a paper on the Scripture Reading. Special music was provided by Mrs. George Ashley, John Haggerty gave a solo and Gerald Cooke a reading. Miss Margaret Haggerty contributed a solo and also Miss Joyce Wallace. Following the Benediction, Jean Haggerty conducted a contest.

Newlyweds Honoured

On Monday evening, a large number of friends and neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mitts to congratulate their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sine on their recent marriage. Mr. Volney Richardson was chairman for a varied programme, which consisted of solos by Mr. Frank Smith and readings by Mrs. Louis Rodgers, Mr. Woods. Short addresses were given by Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Rodgers and Mr. Philip Carr.

Mr. Meighen Rodgers read an address to the honoured guests and they were presented with a lovely rocking chair, a lace table cloth and a pair of blankets. Both Marion and Bob made suitable replies.

Endeavour Class Meeting

The August meeting of the Endeavour Class was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Moorcroft on Tuesday evening. Due to the busy season and other attractions, the attendance was small. Those assisting Mr. Howard Cooke on the programme were Rev. Harold Burgess, Mrs. Mac. Searles, Arthur Wilson and Mrs. Elmer Post and Mrs. John Moorcroft. Messrs. Melbourne and Warren Moorcroft were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. McMaster, of Wooler.

Mrs. Geo. Bates, of Belleville, was a recent guest of Miss Sarah Wilson.

The weatherman surely was kind to the farmers this week when the stock threshing was pressing every available man in the community into service. The showers of rain interfered and gave the lads Wednesday to attend Belleville Fair.

Mrs. Sandy McCurdy and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. May Humphrey of Consec.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Post, Mr. and Mrs. Mac. Searles attended the Royal Black (L.O.L.) celebration held at Brighton on Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Vincent Moran and family of Buffalo are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. William Bray.

An extra large number of friends and neighbours assembled on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Ted Pollock to congratulate him and his bride on their recent marriage and also to give them a welcome to the community. Rev. Harold Burgess was chairman for the evening's programme. Community singing was enjoyed by all. Miss Marion Kellar gave a solo. Miss Joan McCurdy and Margaret Haggerty gave a duet. Mr. Russell Sills read the address and the newlyweds were presented with two handsome occasional chairs for which they both expressed their appreciation.

Mr. Ernest Urban and granddaughter, Joan Glen and Mrs. M. Judd and Pat, all of Windsor are holidaying with Mrs. Sandy McCurdy and family and other friends in the community.

Mr. Foster Wilson, Donald and Glen, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barber of 2nd of Thurlow.

Eleanor and Beth Brummell of Norwood, are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carr's.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fargy, Carol and Kenneth, spent a recent week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lowe at their summer home, Orangeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fargy attended the Logan-Wilson wedding which took place at Keene on Saturday.

West Huntingdon W.M.S. Meeting

The August meeting of the West Huntingdon W.M.S. took the form of a picnic on the Church Lawn, entertaining the Mission Band. A pot luck dinner was served at noon, after which Rev. Mr. Burgess conducted a short singing.

Mrs. F. Ashley, the W.M.S. President, then took charge of the meeting, which opened by all repeating the Lord's Prayer followed by Roll Call

and reading of the minutes. Three minutes' silence was observed in memory of a very beloved and valued member, Mrs. Foster Wilson.

Eleanor Wright and Helen Ashley favoured the gathering with a duet, "I Love To Tell The Story." The Scripture reading was given by Mrs. Moorcroft, from Matt. 18: 6 to 18.

Marilyn Fitchett gave a reading and Lois Emerson sang a solo in Chinese. Jean Sheffield sang a solo, "In The Garden," followed by a reading by Mrs. McCurdy.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. P. McIntyre, with Mrs. Emerson and Mrs. C. Wright to prepare the programme. Helen Ashley and Eleanor Wright again favoured with a duet.

Rev. Mr. Burgess gave a short talk, after which Mrs. Ashley thanked all who helped make the meeting a success, and the meeting closed with the benediction.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent in sports enjoyed by young and old.

Deep Litter Urged For Poultry Hens

Labor costs can be lessened for the poultrymen by using deep litter, according to W. P. Pepper of the poultry department, OAC, Guelph.

Pens should be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected and a thin layer of sand or fine gravel can be scattered over the floor before the straw, shavings or a combination of both is added, 10 to 12 inches deep, says Mr. Pepper.

The litter should be in the pens at least two weeks before birds are housed and the best insulation and ventilation practices followed to keep it dry. Otherwise, poultrymen may find they have to revert to shallow litter and frequent cleanings during the winter.

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(4) help control weeds, plant diseases and insects. (5) aid in distributing the labour requirements throughout the growing season.

QUALITY FIRST IN TABLE TURNIPS

If markets are to be maintained and further developed for table turnips from Ontario farms, then quality is of first importance, says R. E. Goodin, Secretary of the Turnip Committee of the Ontario Crop Improvement Association. In the establishment of this essential factor, he points out, growers would be well advised to guard against water core which often turns the pulp or flesh brown and punky, thus creating buyer and consumer resistance.

Mr. Goodin states that it has been definitely established that water core is caused by a lack of boron in the soil, and that spraying or dusting with the proper borax mixture at the right time, giving adequate coverage, is effective.

Many groups of growers in various communities have been getting together to make use of the same machines on a co-operative or custom basis, but it is important that the job should be done when the turnip root is about the size of a man's thumb. Therefore timely action is necessary.

The borax mixture is not difficult to mix and apply. Full directions and other information may be obtained from "The Guide to Crop Production in Ontario," prepared by the standing committee on Field Crop Improvement or from "Addresses, Annual Convention, Ontario Crop Improvement Association." Copies of these publications may be obtained without charge from county and district agricultural repre-

sentatives, or from the Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

BRITISH GARDENERS RECEIVE SHIPMENTS OF ONTARIO FOOD

Horticultural Societies contributing to the Ontario Horticultural Association's Food for Britain Fund will be gratified to know that second shipments of parcels has been made, says J. A. Carroll, Secretary of the Association. Distribution of the parcels was completed with the co-operation of the Royal Horticultural Association of Great Britain to some 225 beneficiaries of the Gardeners' Royal Benevolent Association. The parcels were packed in Ontario, and each contained the following:

Half pound whole milk powder, two tins Maple Leaf Cheese, one pound domestic shortening, 1 tin kam, 1 tin lamb stew and 1 tin pate de foie.

Since delivery of the parcels, some 200 letters of appreciation have been received from those to whom they were sent. These old people, ranging in age from 75 to over 100, expressed appreciation for these supplements to their food rations, but most of them placed greater emphasis on the spirit which prompted the gift, and asked that thanks be expressed to the horticulturalists of Ontario.

Donations for the Food for Britain Fund are still being received by the Association treasurer, H. O'Connor, 80 Norfolk Street, Guelph, and it is hoped to make another shipment soon to these worthy gardeners of Britain.

BUTTER PRODUCTION IS SEASONALLY DOWN

Butter production declined normally with the season during the month

of July, says C. E. Lackner, Director of the Dairy Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, in his summary of Creamery Inspectors' reports for that month. Production ran about 3 per cent below that for July of last year, the report states, although in Central Ontario creameries there is an increase over 1947.

"With the increase in the ceiling of one cent per pound," says Mr. Lackner, "butter prices promptly moved up to that level. With butter at the ceiling at the period when it is going into storage, an abnormal situation is indicated. It has been prompted by the indicated butter shortage next winter, and suppliers to the retail trade are taking up all available butter at top prices for protection, fearing loss of patronage if they are unable to supply customers, even at a loss."

Butter quality for the grading year to the end of June continues to show an all-time high of first grade, and is running about eight per cent better than in 1947.

HASTINGS COUNTY FARMERS INTERESTED IN "CORNELL" WHEAT

Considerable interest is being shown by farmers in the County of Hastings regarding the variety of wheat known as Cornell 595 which has been grown for the last three years in various parts of Ontario and has shown every indication at present of outyielding other varieties.

Cornell 495 is a beardless golden chaff wheat with nodding heads and is longer and laxer than Dawson. It has a soft wheat grain with a strong straw that is purplish at maturity. One of the strong factors of this variety is that it appears to be resistant to loose smut of wheat, while many of our other varieties are highly susceptible to it.

There is at the present time no registered Cornell 595 available in Ontario, however, Commercial No. 1 is at present selling at \$3.00 per bushel.

Any farmers interested in securing a small amount to try it out for one year should contact the Ontario Department of Agriculture, Stirling, as soon as possible, and if sufficient interest is shown, arrangements may be made to secure seed wheat from other parts of the Province. This price would be \$3.00 per bushel plus transportation and would have to be paid for in advance and be picked up at Stirling at a specified date.

LATE BLIGHT OF TOMATOES AND POTATOES

Late blight has now been reported on potatoes in the area from Cochrane, Temiskaming, Simcoe and Halton

West, taking in the Niagara district and along Lake Erie to Kent County. In some cases reports of potato tubers already rotting and of tomatoes being so severely affected that they are a total loss have been reported.

If heavy dews prevail or if two or three days of rainy weather should come late blight could spread very rapidly and cause serious damage and losses within a few days. It is practically impossible to stop late blight in potatoes or tomatoes once it has become established particularly if moist weather prevails.

The only safe means of protection is to spray or dust before late blight appears. As far as possible all parts above the ground should be covered thoroughly with bordeaux or one of the fixed coppers on the potatoes. In the case of tomatoes, fixed coppers are recommended as a bordeaux may cause some blossom dropping at this time of the year.

Farm Service Force Camps

Young people throughout the Province have been rallying to the call of the farmers in the fruit district for help in harvesting the crops. At the present time however still more young men and women are needed to harvest the crops. The season from August 12th to November 15th is a time of year when most help is needed.

Accommodation for such helpers is in the Ontario Farm Service Force Camps. These girls' camps are constructed according to specifications of the Department of Health and are run by the National Council Y.W.C.A. which supervises the feeding, housekeeping, discipline and recreation at the camp.

Transportation to camps will be paid for anyone who has four weeks or more to give.

Anyone interested in this type of work should write to the Director of the Ontario Farm Service Force, 9 Richmond Street East, Toronto.

Great Record By Canadian Holstein

Only a very select group of Canadian cows have ever made yearly butterfat records exceeding 1200 lbs. of butterfat. The latest addition to this group is Selling Royal Wing, a pure bred Holstein owned by Albert Selling, Elmira, Ont., whose production of 1219 pounds fat from 28,505 lbs. milk was made in 365 days on three times-a-day milking under the supervision of the Federal Department of Agriculture. This is the third highest three times-a-day milking record ever made by a Canadian Holstein, being exceeded only by the World Record of 1263 lbs. fat made by Montvic Rag Apple Colantha Abbecker at Mount Victoria Farms, at Hudson Heights, Quebec, in 1941 and the 1257 lbs. butterfat made last year by Amulree Baroness Platje owned by Rockwood Holsteins, St. Norbert, Man. Only one U.S. Holstein has exceeded "Wing's" record, this being Pebble Beach Veda Secunda with a record of 1227 lbs. fat.

On her best day on test, "Wing" produced 110 lbs. milk (the equivalent of 44 quarts) and in one month gave 3,147 lbs. milk.

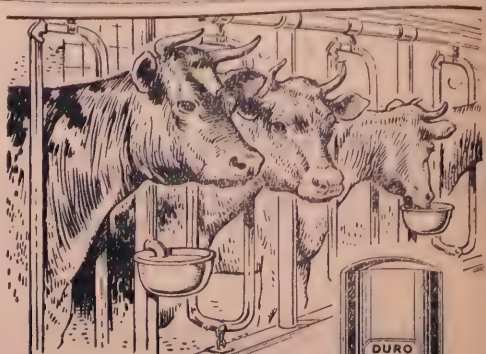
In charge of "Wing" while making this great record was Herman Frees, a native of Eel River Crossing, N.B., who is herd manager for Mr. Selling. "Wing" is a richly bred member of the noted Rag Apple family, tracing no less than five times to the famous Johanna Rag Apple Pabst.

LOOKS LIKE A FEEBLE EXCUSE

(The Canadian Statesman)

It is widely admitted that present day radio regulations leave the door wide open for political abuse. Licenses are granted or denied by a Board of Governors which is, without doubt, composed of extremely fine men and women; but these are, nevertheless, appointed by the Government-of-the-Day, and removable by the same body. Rules and regulations are laid down and administered by the same Board. This is an intolerable situation in a democracy, whether abused or not. It has been pointed out many times that our radio set-up paves the way nicely for some future totalitarian-minded government to perpetuate itself in power.

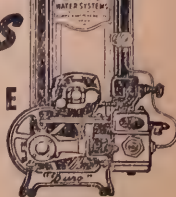
To date the only excuse given for not correcting this situation is the fallible argument that if a totalitarian regime took over in Ottawa it would change the law anyway, and use radio for its political purposes. Certainly the majority of Canadians will not swallow such a sorry excuse. They are not prepared to go on paying high tax tributes to a set-up which would delight the heart of any dictator. Further, it is a psychological fact that creating the conditions of state-domination over a wide field of endeavour is certainly speeding the day when actual Stalinism could rule the roost in Canada.



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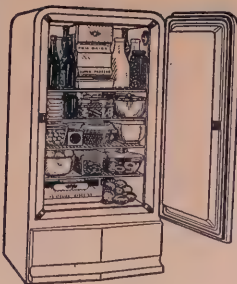
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Hello Homemakers! You wouldn't dare say "same old thing" in reference to the vegetables this month. There are many that can be stored by the brining process which will provide variety later on. Salt and liquid in the correct proportion preserves the colour and texture of many perishable vegetables. You will enjoy using grandmother's crock or odd jars for relishes and think of the pleasure of dipping into them round about Thanksgiving. No one will say "Same old thing."

TAKE A TIP

1. Use a good, clear vinegar, free from sediment. To retain the aroma and full strength, vinegar should not be allowed to boil more than five minutes. A good method is to bring the vinegar and spices to the boiling point in a covered pan and allow to stand an hour.
2. Ordinary fine or even coarse salt is recommended for pickles in preference to iodized salting.
3. In general, use pure whole spices in pickling as they retain their flavour longer and can be lifted out of the liquid before pickles are packed. If spices are canned along with the pickles, they will turn dark. When using a spice bag, use a clean thin white cheese cloth bag large enough to allow the liquid to circulate through the spices. The use of dill is very popular. While the stalk adds some flavour to the pickles, it is the seeds which are most useful. Leaves and seeds may be used green, dried or brined.
4. Never use a copper or galvanized kettle as the acid in vinegar reacts with these metals to form harmful substances.
5. You may be fairly sure of crisp

pickles if you measure the salt solution accurately. This brine should be strong enough to float a fresh egg—1 pound (1½ cups) salt to nine pints (wine measure) water.

CORN RELISH

- 13 cobs of corn, niblets cut off
- 4 large onions cut fine
- 1 head cabbage
- 1 red pepper
- 1 green pepper
- 2 cups white sugar
- 4 tbsps vinegar
- 1 tsp. salt

Mix well and boil ten minutes.

WATERMELON PICKLE

- 2 pounds prepared watermelon rind
- Salt water (made with 1 quart cold water and ½ cup salt)
- 1 tsp. whole allspice
- 1 tsp. whole cloves
- 5 two-inch pieces stick cinnamon
- 3 cups vinegar
- 2 cups water
- 2 pounds sugar

Select thick rind from firm melon. Trim off the green skin and pink flesh. Weigh two pounds of the prepared rind and cut into inch pieces. Soak overnight in salt water. Next morning, drain off the brine, cover with fresh water and cook for 1½ hours or until tender. Add more water as needed. Let stand several hours or overnight.

Drain. Put spices loosely in clean, thin white cloth; tie top tightly. Bring to boiling point the spices, vinegar, 2 cups water and sugar. Add cooked watermelon rind and boil slowly for about 1½ hours or until the syrup is fairly thick. Remove spice bag; pack watermelon in hot sterilized jars. Pour syrup over rind, filling jars to top. Seal. Store in cool place.

1½ teaspoons ground cinnamon may be used in place of the cinnamon sticks.

RIPE CUCUMBER RELISH

- 3 large ripe cucumbers (3 qts. chopped)
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 large onions (1½ cups chopped)
- ½ cup dry mustard
- 1 pint vinegar
- 1 teaspoon tumeric
- ½ cup flour

Peel and remove seeds from cucumbers. Cut in cubes (about 1 inch), chop onions, add to cucumber with three tablespoons salt. Let stand 3 hours. Drain. Mix flour, sugar, tumeric and mustard to a smooth paste with vinegar. Add vegetables and cook slowly until tender—about 20 minutes. (Stir to prevent burning). Seal in hot sterilized jars. Yield: four pints.

MUSTARD PICKLES

- 2 quarts sliced green cucumbers
- 2 quarts chopped green tomatoes
- 2 quarts small white pearl onions
- 2 heads cauliflower (separate into flowers)

Sprinkle with salt and allow to stand overnight. Drain and rinse.

Combine the following ingredients:
 1½ ounces tumeric
 2 cups brown sugar
 2 tbsps. mustard seed
 3 tbsps celery seed
 1 tsp. whole cloves
 1½ tbsps. all spice
 ½ cup dry mustard
 3 cups vinegar

Boil vegetables with above mixture on "High" for fifteen minutes. Add four tablespoons flour mixed to a smooth paste with water and continue cooking for five minutes. Pack in sterilized jars and seal. Yield four quarts.



Echoes of Victory

Since Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent has become the leader of the Liberal Party and scheduled to succeed Premier King shortly as Prime Minister, probably before the end of 1948, observers along Parliament Hill have been hearing a great deal about a possible "understanding" developing between Premier Duplessis of Quebec and Premier Drew of Ontario, if the latter should throw into the ring his hat to take over the leadership of the Progressive-Conservative Party at the coming National convention of this party here in September.

Such a possibility it is known here would have far-reaching effects since

it must be admitted that Mr. Duplessis scored a history-making victory in the recent provincial election there and it was, in reality a landslide. In addition Mr. Drew is safely entrenched in Ontario following the recent test there. As a result, such a political combination could produce effects in the federal political arena of a kind that would have far-reaching impacts throughout this country.

Then again, an "understanding" of this sort may bear watching, observers stress because of its possible relation to Dominion-Provincial relations which have not been the best possible ever since the failure of the Dominion-Provincial Conference of 1945-46, with the constant threat existing now of double taxation because of the failure of the federal and certain provincial governments reaching accord. If such an "understanding" should develop as rumored possible along Parliament Hill now chances of such an accord between present regimes are not considered to be any too good.

This is Unusual

It is learned officially in this capital that normally retail sales across Canada begin to recede in the half-way mark of the year, June, when the summertime seasonal downward swing in such business gets under way. However, a nation-wide survey has shown that this did not occur this year and it is apparent that the masses have spent more money in the stores than usual at this time, with business being better than generally believed as likely. In other words, this can be said to be indicative of a "boom" in business at the retail level in face of the high prices for commodities. It looks like the "little man" has plenty of cash still in his hands and he is spending it with the "help of the little woman."

In fact, turning back to the Canadian Government's report, it is learned that retail sales advanced 15.3 per cent in dollar volume during June this year compared with a year ago in this period and this is impressive in face of the higher prices because one would believe that the higher prices would bring a "buyer's strike" and keep sales much lower. Examining these results closer, it is discovered that where the boosts were quite marked did not always involve "necessities" and this confirms the above impression about spending which aids the inflationary boom.

The largest gain in June was in retail sales of women's wear stores, 25.9 per cent, and other increases included 22.3 per cent for department stores, 19.1 per cent food stores, 15.5 per cent variety stores, 14.2 per cent country general stores, 8.6 per cent jewelry stores, etc., with these in many instances indicating the trend of the times and proving quite amazing in the light of loud complaints about the prices.

New Activities

It is evident that Canada's political parties will soon start to organize in Newfoundland in preparation for this old colony becoming the 10th province and already there are signs of such activities being prepared with the indications that Liberals, Progressive-Conservatives, CCF and Social Credit will engage in establishing themselves there just as soon as the opportunity will permit. Since Joseph Smallwood and P. Gordon Bradley, both Newfoundland Confederates, attended the National Liberal Convention here recently as "observers" it is believed that similar invitations to be "observers" will be extended to representatives from Newfoundland to the Progressive-Conservative Convention here in September. The CCF had also extended such invitations.

When arrangements for confederation have been completed, it is held that the seven bye-elections for M.P.'s may be held simultaneously with a provincial test in Newfoundland. Under the British North America Act, Newfoundland would get such seven seats in Commons and six in Senate, raising Canada's House of Commons to 252 seats and Senate to 102. It is forecast these elections may be held in the middle of next year.

Olea In The News

Oleomargarine is frequently in the news now-a-days along Parliament Hill and observers are noting that opinions for as well as against its legalization are becoming more frequent, especially since the union of Newfoundland and Canada became a certainty with the big question now being what will happen next winter when a serious butter shortage develops in Canada and Newfoundland is in a position to export its surplus of oleomargarine at a much lower price than butter will probably be selling at that time. However, it is said here in well-informed quarters that there are no great quantities of this butter substitute available in Newfoundland even if Canada should allow it to enter and what appears now to be the most important point is the coming test case before the Supreme Court of Canada. While the case is before the courts, discussion is very

much limited, with this having been the real reason why it was not raised at the recent Liberal Convention here. A resolution on same at this national gathering was not pushed because the issue was before the court.

Cheaper But Scarce

Though the Government has reduced the special excise tax on motor vehicles it is learned here that cars or trucks may be somewhat cheaper but the supply on the now or used-car market will still be such as to make it difficult to get the kind of vehicle desired. Apparently, factory shipments of Canadian-made vehicles have totalled only 129,182 units in the first half of this year, including 74,179 passenger cars and 55,003 commercial vehicles compared with a total of 126,215 units last year in the same period, emphasizing that output was greater but far from meeting the demands with this indicating that prices may be higher than believed likely when the Government first announced the new tax cuts recently and dealers were gloomy under impression they would be losing heavily on cars now in stock.

Said In The Capital

"The immediate purpose of Communism is the complete control of the individual in the name of the State and its ultimate aim is world domination," declared Premier Mackenzie King here emphasizing the menace of Communism.

"I was lucky to be born a Canadian," said External Affairs Minister Louis St. Laurent, new leader of the Liberal party, during an interview in the Capital.

"Within a year there'll be no province in Canada whose people are so happy to be in Confederation as those of Newfoundland," predicted Joseph Smallwood, leader of the Confederation Party of Newfoundland when visiting here.

"We intend to fight against any recession and we have plenty of ammunition in store to win that fight," stated Trade Minister Howe in a speech in the capital.

"Newspapers in Greece are facing slow death," was the gloomy remark of the publisher of "Eleftheria" (Liberty) of Athens, Greece, Achilles S. Chertis, who has spent the past five months in U.S. and Canada seeking newspaper and who said here that he was not optimistic about getting any supplies.

Weekly Wind-up

It is understood that the new leader of the Liberal Party, Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, whose home is in Quebec, may make his permanent home in Ottawa now.

There is no doubt backstage in this capital that the National Liberal Convention worked just as hard to reorganize the party forces for a coming

appeal to the people as to choose a new leader, though the headlines appeared to stress the latter aim more than anything else.

The Civil Service Federation of Canada is known to be really angry at even the suggestion that Hon. Adolphe Godbout, Liberal Chief in Quebec, should be considered for the vacant post on the Civil Service Commission as rumors here have insinuated ever since Mr. Godbout's defeat in the provincial election there.

Plans for a trans-continental highway across Canada do not seem to be in the immediate thought here, though there has been considerable talk about such a scheme outside of this capital.

The 1949 convention of the Dominion Association of Fire Chiefs will be held here, it is learned.

A growing resentment can be detected in this capital resulting from reports that bread prices may be boosted by 2 or 3 cents a loaf in some parts of this country in face of the new subsidy announcement by the Canadian Government that aimed to keep such prices down feeling being that this increase is unjustified and being indicative that some people are out to charge all the traffic will bear.

What Others Say!

IF WISHES WERE HORSES

(By Joseph Lister Rutledge)

There is an old saw, "If wishes were horses, then beggars might ride," that might well be resurrected in this day of more modern transportation. For human nature changes less rapidly than do our systems. We are still wishfully hoping that our aspirations will crystallize into results without any of the "blood and sweat and tears" that history has proved essential to survival.

So much stress has been laid on the importance of our readiness to stand up and be counted that we have almost come to believe that stating an opinion is an end in itself, rather than merely a guide-post to an end. If enough people vote for something, we are confident that prosperity and general well-being is assured, and that we can return to our own affairs in the complacent confidence that in casting a ballot we have served all the purposes of good citizenship.

Far be it from us to discount the advantages of an electorate that has definite opinions and the impulse to present them; that is moved enough to make clear what is the majority will. But is this the whole of our democratic obligation? Too often we act as if it were; as if, having expressed our will, we can leave it to whatever government we have selected to make it work. We tend to overlook the very simple but unassailable fact that votes, as such, do not create any

thing. (Governments can only distribute the benefits that the people themselves have provided. Our votes are simply sign posts. If we are to arrive anywhere, we must go on from there. To vote for any party in the belief that it can bring about a millennium is only to confuse ourselves, for millenniums are not the product of hope.

If hope is to be made real it must be followed by the sweat and tears of effort and devotion. Otherwise democracy is a reverberating, but none the less an empty, shell. We are told that if we vote for some particular party or ticket we will be secured, employed and protected. But there is always a perhaps. What do the people who vote for a ticket, or even the people who don't do about it?

It is hardly enough to say that they will distribute already existing benefits, for will the providers of these benefits continue to provide on such terms? Neither communism nor socialism nor liberal nor conservative can assure lasting benefits that the people themselves have not worked to provide. You cannot vote in a millennium. You have to make it.

NO SYMPATHY FOR USED CAR DEALERS

(Kingston Whig-Standard)

Very few Canadians will sympathize with these merchants. Furthermore, a large number of Canadians probably think that many used car dealers have been treated as they deserved. The buying public in the used car market has long been irritated and disgusted by the sight of nominally used cars of post-war manufacture selling at higher prices than "new" cars of the same year. Used car dealers running this sort of racket took advantage of the tremendous demand for automobiles to gouge buyers for every cent the latter could possibly pay. It is a practice comparable to ticket "scalping," and we cannot recall hearing about anyone mourning when a "scalper" was stuck with a block of tickets, other than the scalper himself.

Furthermore, most people will probably feel that used car dealers seriously affected by the tax reduction are victims of either their own cupidity or their own stupidity. It was unofficially intimated at Ottawa several weeks ago that the special excise taxes would be abolished in the near future. That intimation should have been enough to make any mildly shrewd business man take steps to avoid being caught with a stock on which he would have to take a loss. It should also have been sufficient to warn the greedy that they would be wise to curb themselves. In some cases, apparently, it was neither.

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Holmes Family Meets at Madoc

The Holmes family gathered at the Madoc Orange Hall, August 11th, for their 24th annual reunion. Eighty relatives partook of a delicious chicken dinner at the noon-hour after which Ed. Holmes of Queensboro, in the absence of the President, acted as chairman.

Three deaths were reported, namely Mr. Robert Sager, Queensboro; Mr. Dan Holmes, Queensboro; and Mr. Milton Davison, Farwell, Mich.

There were seven births—Gregory Elwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Pitts, Farwell, Mich.; Dana Holmes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clelland Graham, California; Robert Davison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrus, Ann Harbor, Mich.; Dennis Lyman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Holmes, Tweed; David Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey, Cooper; Peter Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holmes, Trenton and Roderick Shane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wartman, Warkworth.

The following officers were elected: Hon. Pres., Mrs. George Holmes, of Queensboro; President, Gord. Holmes, Cooper; 1st Vice-President, Kenneth Holmes, Madoc; 2nd Vice-President, Allan Sager, Queensboro; 3rd Vice-President, Meryl Davison, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Fred Fleming, Madoc.

Sports Committee — Bobbie Sager, Diana Holmes, Earl Wartman, Don Post.

It was decided to hold the 1949 reunion at Crystal Beach, Madoc, on the second Wednesday in August.

A gift was sent to Mrs. George Holmes, Queensboro, who was unable to be present. Prizes were given to the following: coming the longest distance, Mr. and Mrs. Meryl Davison, Ann Arbor, Mich.; youngest, Donna Post and Harold Bailey; birthday, Thornton Holmes; most representatives, descendants of Abraham Holmes. Several letters from those who could not be present were read. A two-minute silence was observed in memory of those who had passed on.

The sports committee conducted several games and races for which prizes were given. After a social hour, the relatives left for their various homes, hoping to meet again next year.

Cheese Board

A total of 3407 cheese was offered on the Belleville Cheese Board Tuesday evening. Seven hundred and seventy-five cheese sold at 30-1-16 cents with the balance selling at 30 cents.

With cheese now requisitioned for overseas shipment, board members decided not to meet again for three weeks, the next meeting scheduled for September 7th.

The factories from this district listing cheese were as follows:

Harold	85
Central	96
Eclipse	58
Holloway	30
Sidney	66
Acme	63
Wooler	76
Sidney Town Hall	90
West Huntingdon	60
Melrose	85
Zion	136
Foxboro	70
Springbrook	65
Evergreen	60
Frankford	50
Rogers	84
Stirling	60
Glen	30
Beulah	40
Shamrock	60
Plum Grove	98
Enterprise	63

POWER SITUATION "TOUCH AND GO" ALL SUMMER

The situation in respect to hydro power has been "touch and go" this summer, chairman Robert Saunders of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario said Monday night in a broadcast address. He appealed for the co-operation of all consumers to eliminate waste in the use of electricity.

"We have been forced on almost every day to reduce power being supplied to five or six large industries," he said. "For example, last Wednesday the cut amounted to 132,600 kilowatts."

He repeated his warning that restrictions would have to be imposed this fall and winter because of lessened water flow in Ontario and Quebec power sources.

PUBLIC DEMAND (Brantford Expositor)

Tax reduction is demanded by the people. It would be amply justified on budgetary grounds. It would help business and, most important, it would prevent some of the present inflationary pressures — those arising from the fact that take-home pay is not considered adequate.

St. Louis Cards to Run Baseball School For Area

The Fair Grounds, Belleville, will be the scene of a baseball tryout camp, Friday and Saturday, August 20th and 21st, which will be conducted by the St. Louis Cardinals, and is one of more than 60 such camps scheduled by the Cardinals this Summer. It will be open free to all boys between the ages of 17 and 23 who aspire to careers in professional baseball.

Tryouts will start at 11 o'clock each morning and continue throughout the day. The camp will be under the supervision of C. S. "Pop" Ketchner, dean of baseball scouts. He will be assisted by Joe Cusick, former Holy Cross star and minor league player and manager. This staff will judge the performance of the players at their chosen position, offering contracts to those qualified.

Every boy in this vicinity who feels that he has what it takes to become a professional baseball player is invited to enroll for a try out. There will be regular drills in running, fielding, hitting and throwing. The pitchers will get a chance to show their stuff in games played between teams made up of players in attendance at the camp. All boys planning to attend are asked to bring their own gloves and baseball shoes and uniforms if they have them. Any players signed to contracts will be refunded all expenses incident to attending the camp.

EXPRESSIVE HANDS INTERPRET SPEECH

If your hands aren't fluent interpreters of your words and feelings, train them to be.

You can, by freeing fingers of the muscle-bound stiffness which seems to make so many women's hands expressionless and lacking in grace.

The more "wooden" hands are, the more they need exercise. Such exercise does not have to be a self-conscious routine. You can put your hands through a limbering-up series of exercises while you hang on the telephone; while waiting for a bus or an elevator. You can practice fingerwork while you read without skipping a single word.

Take, for example, the simple exercise of squeezing a rubber ball—real or imaginary—which demands no concentration from you while you alternately contract and relax the muscles of first one hand, then the other. The squeeze-play forcibly flexes every muscle in the hand.

Another exercise that routs stiffness is the one for which you use one hand to force apart the fingers of the other hand. The trick here is to force a pair of fingers as far apart as you can stretch them.

While hands are idle, play on an imaginary piano keyboard. This is another excellent routine that will put your hands through octave stretches; send fingers leaping nimbly back and forth from black keys to white.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Montgomery, Oak Park Ave., Toronto, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Eleanor, to Robert Donald Hawker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hawker. The marriage will take place on Saturday evening, September 4th, at 7 o'clock in Rogers Memorial Presbyterian Church, Toronto.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK OCTOBER 3 TO 9

Fire Prevention Week will be October 3-9, the Government announced on Friday.

A proclamation in the Canada Gazette recommends these measures:

1. Inspection of all buildings and removal of conditions likely to spread fire.
2. Inspection of theatres, hospitals and other institutional buildings with a view to making changes necessary to protect occupants in case of fire.
3. Fire drills for all school children, inmates of institutions and factory employees.
4. Special instruction on fire prevention in schools by teachers and municipal officials.
5. Campaigns by all governments to emphasize the national importance of protecting life and property from fire loss.

WATER AT MEALS

It was formerly thought that water taken at meals hindered digestion and that it was therefore a mistake to drink water at mealtime. It is now known that, although water dilutes digestive juices, these fluids operate more efficiently when diluted.

Water taken at mealtime is not harmful unless it is used merely to swallow down unchewed food. Experts warn, however, that when the stomach is suddenly cooled digestion is interrupted. So water with meals should only be cool enough to make it palatable.

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Foxboro Eliminates Mount Pleasant Stirling And Legion Play Tie

A Large Crowd Witnesses Two Good Games — The Deciding Game on Monday

Staging a regular "Frank Merriwell" finish, Foxboro scored three runs in the final inning of last night's play-off to win 6 to 5 over Mount Pleasant in the second game of the semi-finals. As a result of their loss Mount Pleasant is eliminated having lost the first game 4 to 3. Both teams are evenly matched but errors at crucial times by Mount Pleasant cost them the game. It was a tough loss for the boys from "Hubbie Hill" and a great win for Foxboro.

Irvin Potts, on the mound for the losers, again pitched one of his good games, having seven strikeouts to his credit and giving up only five hits. He issued one free ticket to first.

"Tip" Tummon, pitching for Foxboro, also had seven strikeouts to his credit and gave up seven hits and one walk.

Mount Pleasant took the lead in the fifth with three runs, only to have Foxboro tie the score in the bottom half of the same inning. In the sixth Mount Pleasant again took the lead with two runs, but Foxboro took the game with their 3-run rally in the seventh.

Mt. Pleasant — Sine, ss; Potts, p; Ralph Jeffs, 3b; Stocker, cf; Johnson, lf; Stapley, c; Lavender, rf; Ross Jeffs, 2b; Campbell, 1b.

Foxboro — Churchill, c; McCaughan, 1b; Priest, 2b; "Tip" Tummon, p; Sine, 2b; McMillan, rf; F. Tummon, lf; Ketcheson, ss; Gay, cf; Umpires, J. Armstrong, plate; John Kane and A. Ray, bases.

LEGION AND STIRLING TIE
Stirling Legionnaires and Stirling played a 7-7 tie in their second game of the semi-finals. The Legion won the first game, played Monday night, and the deciding game will be played Monday night next.

With Rodgers, Stirling's regular pitcher out of the game with a broken bone in his hand, Ketcheson was brought out of semi-retirement to do the pitching and made a pretty fair job of it too. He held the Legion scoreless in all but two innings, and had his support not gone to pieces in the third inning to allow 6 runs, would have come out a winner.

Noble took the rubber for the Legion and pitched his usual steady game.

Stirling opened the scoring with three runs in the first, added one each in the second, fourth, fifth and

Sells Beauty Salon

Mrs. Grant Potter has sold her Beauty Salon on Front St. to Irene Roberts, of Trenton. The new owner will take over during the coming month.

Purchases Property And Business

A business deal of interest was completed on Friday last when X. P. Mayhew, of town, purchased the express and freight cartage business and property of R. E. (Ted) Gould, Marmora Road. Mr. Gould took over the business from his father in 1920 and has operated it ever since.

"Prompt and courteous service" is a motto that "Ted" has practised throughout the years and his many friends in the village and district will regret his decision to retire and wish him the best of everything when he and Mrs. Gould take up residence in the Ottawa district.

Mr. Mayhew will take over the business on September 1st.

Rector Given Purse By Congregation

Rev. C. C. Brazill, rector of St. John's for the past five years, was the recipient of a purse of money from the congregation on Sunday evening last, following his farewell service, which was attended by a large congregation.

Mr. Lorne Ash, Rector's Warden, acted as chairman and called on Mr. Glen Morrow, the People's warden, who read an appropriate address and made the presentation.

Rev. Brazill voiced his thanks for the generous gift and expressed the appreciation of Mrs. Brazill and himself for the many kindnesses extended them during their stay in Stirling.

sixth innings, while Legion scored six in the third and one in the seventh. Lineups:

Stirling—Bastedo, lf; Montgomery, 2b; Lanigan, rf; Dafee, 1b; Fraser, c; Bolte, cf; Tanner, 3b; Ketcheson, p; Donohoe, ss.

Legion — A. Bastedo, 1b; Cornett, 1b; Mayhew, cf; Potter, lf; Noble, p; Shannon, 3b; Rose, ss; Kreh, c; Patterson, rf.

Umpires, Harry Brown, plate; J. Brown, bases.

Ladies "Triples" Tournament

Belleville Rink, Skipped by Mrs. G. Watkins, Won High Honours For The Day

On Friday last Stirling Ladies' Bowling Club staged their annual "triples" tournament on the local greens. Three 12-end games were played and some exceptionally close finishes were witnessed during the play.

High honours for the day's play went to a Belleville rink skipped by Mrs. Geo. Watkin, with a score of 42 and a plus of one. Second prize for two wins went to a Stirling rink, skipped by Mrs. E. Jackman, by a score of 42 points plus 2. Third prize, also for two wins, was won by Mrs. Gault's rink, of Kingston, with a score of 41 plus six. High honours for the one game winner went to a Belleville rink, skipped by Mrs. Scott. Stirling ladies served supper at the greens.

BOWLING NOTES

Stirling Club was represented by Alfred Livingstone and W. T. Elliott at the Belleville Doubles Tournament on Saturday. The local entry won top honours for one win, and each received a basket of groceries as a prize.

Petes Defeat Batawa

Peterborough defeated the Batawa shoenmen in their last scheduled Central Ontario Baseball League game 8-6 Tuesday night in a game that was productive of four homers, three triples and a double.

New School Book

"Basic Grammar" is the name of a new book that will be used in the schools of Centre Hastings. It was prepared by A. W. McGuire and is for use in Grades VII and VIII.

The Teachers' Institute of Centre Hastings arranged for the printing of the book, and it will be offered to school boards at cost. Each pupil will have a book, but the books will remain in the schools from year to year for the use of other classes. The book has several new features designed to make grammar easy and interesting.

Stirling Prize List Available

Prize Monies Are Revised And New Sections Added— Numerous Specials Offered

The prize lists for Stirling Fall Fair, to be held September 17th and 18th, have been published and are now ready for distribution.

The Directors have spared no effort to make it attractive, with the amount of prize money being increased in several instances, while a large number of specials have been donated by outside firms and local citizens.

Horse Classes

The horse classes have each been revised and added specials have been added, which should result in one of the best shows of horses at Stirling Fair in years.

Public School Section

A special section for public schools in Sidney, Rawdon and Stirling has also been added, with good prizes being offered for school parades, and exhibits in various classes; see prize list for particulars. There is also a Junior Farmer Section and the Stirling Calf Club Achievement Day.

The farmers and their wives, as well as local citizens, are urged to get a prize list and be an exhibitor in one of the many classes offered. The Agricultural Society sponsors the Fair entirely in the interests of the farmers of the surrounding district and should be encouraged.

Copies of the prize list may be obtained from E. D. Ketcheson, secretary.

Hasty Pees Reunion

Nearly one thousand veteran members, former members and those who were affiliated with the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, will meet in Belleville on Oct. 2 to celebrate the fourth annual reunion of Ontario's famous "Hasty Pees". Special events, features and prizes will mark the get-together.

A special feature will be the Memorial service scheduled for Sunday, Oct. 3, when the convention party will pay tribute to the memory of the many Hasty Pees who joined the "White Battalion."

High-ranking officers of the regiment, past and present, will be present.

Past Grands' Club Entertained

The Past Grands' Club of Laurel Rebekah Lodge were entertained by Miss Gena Spry and Mrs. Thos. Spry at the cottage, Oak Lake, on Thursday last.

The programme which was presided over by Mrs. P. Utman, was presented by the grandmothers. Readings, contests and games were much enjoyed, followed by a pot luck supper.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. P. Utman on Thursday, September 15th, the programme to be in charge of the single ladies.

Matthew's Fund

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Stirling Eliminated By Wooler Nine

It was a case of too much "Buck" Stacey for Stirling against Wooler in the second game of the Ontario Amateur Softball Association Intermediate "C" play-offs at the local Recreational Centre on Thursday night, when the visitors won by a score of 11 to 1.

The visiting moundsman had plenty of hop on his "fast" ball and thirteen of the locals went down swinging in the nine-inning game. He gave up five hits, including a double by Dafee and a triple by Kreh, and issued only one walk.

Potts started on the mound for Stirling, and gave up six hits, including two triples, a double and a homer, for nine runs in the five innings he worked. He had two strikeouts. Three errors by his mates aided his downfall. Noble finished the game and gave up five hits, including a triple and double for two runs. He gave up one walk and struck out two.

Score by innings:
Wooler 1 0 4 0 0 1 1—11
Stirling 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1
Officials—Bawden, at plate; Steenburg, on the bases.

Bowl At Oshawa

A local rink of R. A. Patterson, Dr. E. A. Carleton, H. R. Tompkins and W. T. Elliott attended the General Motors Gold Cup Tournament in Oshawa on Wednesday.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Beattie, of Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Duffin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. MacConnell, of Toronto, were week end guests of Mrs. C. A. MacConnell.

Mrs. F. Clarke, of Aurora, spent the week end with Mrs. N. E. Eggleston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ketcheson and Doug, spent the week end on a motor trip to Ottawa and North Bay.

Mrs. J. W. Richardson, of Deloro, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. R. Stapley.

The household effects of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Brazill were moved to Toronto on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rodgers, Belleville, visited their son, Mr. Clarke Rogers and family this week.

Mrs. Janet Utman and Miss Pearl Mudd spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stewart, Brenda and Valerie, were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidmer Demorest.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Zufelt and Patsy Ann, of Rice Lake, are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stapley and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Munro and Allan, and Mrs. P. Utman took a week end boat trip from Gananoque through the Thousand Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Mosser and daughter, Betty, of Toronto, were Monday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hatton.

Mrs. Geo. Drewry, of Belleville and Mrs. Wm. Fleck and Mrs. Mae Nolan, of Leona, N.J., spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Janet Utman.

Mrs. Don Langille and Elizabeth Lynn returned to their home in Edmonton Thursday, having spent the

Induction Service At Mt. Pleasant

Rev. H. C. Vaclavik Becomes Minister on Rawdon Circuit — Reception Held

On Friday evening, August 20th, over one hundred people from Wellman, Bethel and Mount Pleasant appointments and a few visitors, gathered in Mount Pleasant United church for the induction service of the Rev. H. C. Vaclavik, Minister of Rawdon circuit.

Rev. J. F. Lane, of Wellington, conducted the opening devotional exercises and spoke on behalf of Belleville Presbytery.

Rev. R. W. Barker, of St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, gave the charge to the minister based on the Bible Message, "Feed My Sheep."

Rev. F. R. Harbach of Tabernacle United Church, Belleville, gave the charge to the congregation and spoke of the religious significance to a call. He graphically pictured the calls of men of the Bible, such as Abraham, Moses, Elijah, Peter and Paul.

Rev. H. C. Vaclavik spoke briefly and told of his meeting with Dr. Oliver, who at that time was Moderator of the United Church.

Mrs. Harold Elliott, of Bethel, sang "The Lilies They Grow", with Mrs. Will Heath as accompanist.

Mr. and Mrs. George Watson, of Wellmans sang, "I've Anchored My Soul", with Mrs. Lorne Watson as accompanist.

The choir led in the rendition of God Descend Upon My Heart" and the hymns, "Praise Him", "Spirit of the Day Thou Gavest Lord is Ended".

Guests in attendance from other points were Mrs. J. F. Lane and Miss Helen Lane, Wellington; Mr. Rudy Kozark, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Powell, Frankford; Mrs. F. R. Harbach, Belleville.

Following the sacred service, all of those in attendance spent a social half hour with Rev. and Mrs. Vaclavik.

Engagement

Mrs. Edith Haggerty, of Stirling, wishes to announce the engagement of her daughter, Marjorie Edith, to Mr. Garnet Ray Tanner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tanner, of Stirling. The marriage will take place Wednesday, September 15, 1948, at St. John's Anglican Church, Stirling.

Directors Complete Plans To Make Stirling Fall Fair The Best Yet

Plans for the finest Fall Fair ever put on by the Stirling Agricultural Society in the Stirling Fair Grounds are nearing completion as members of the Fair Board meet regularly to discuss final arrangements for September 17th and 18th next. The programme committee has lined up various attractions, including the Casey Shows for the midway and Mauro's Entertainers for the concert in Stirling Theatre on Saturday night, September 18th.

Harness races, including the Free-For-All for \$200. purse, and a 2.25 Class for \$150.00 purse, will highlight the Saturday afternoon programme. A special prize will also be given to the driver driving the fastest heat in each class. In addition, there will be bicycle races for the boys and girls, drawing contest, tug-of-war, Old-time Fiddler's contest, singing contest, step dancing, nail-driving contest, baby show, 3 classes; hog-calling contest, etc.

Beauty Contest

The Beauty Contest, which proved such a success last year, has again been arranged for. Liberal prizes will be offered and the ladies of the district are urged to place their entries with secretary E. D. Ketcheson, as soon as possible.

Remember the dates, September 17th and 18th, and plan to meet your friends at Stirling Fair. Watch the local paper for more complete details in later issues.

Shirley Robson Weds D. Pyear

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Robson, Holloway, on Saturday afternoon, when their daughter, Shirley Lillian, became the bride of Douglas Frank Pyear, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear, Stirling, Ont.

The home was prettily decorated with pastel gladioli and pink and white asters and the wedding music was played by Miss Phyllis Beatty, of Holloway. Rev. D. Campbell, Plainfield, officiated.

The bride given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of pale blue crepe and her white floral headdress blended with her corsage of gardenias. Barbara Robson, sister of the bride, and her only attendant, wore a gown of loganberry wine with a corsage of Tallman roses and matching headdress.

Russell Pyear, the groom's brother, ably performed the duties of best man.

The bride's mother chose a gown of fuchsia crepe with a corsage of Tallman roses, while the groom's mother wore wine crepe with a corsage of Tallman roses.

The bride's going away costume was turquoise gabardine with black accessories. After their wedding trip, the couple will take up residence on the groom's farm near Stirling, Ont.

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What Others Say!

WHAT ARE WE PAYING FOR?
(The Canadian Statesman)

The word "Success" has at least two different meanings. A privately-

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ance sheet of the CBC to discover how singularly unsuccessful that corporation is under the first refinement. However, as a government monopoly, it is only liable to be judged under the second; and by that criterion it is reasonably successful. It is regarded at best as satisfactory, and at worst as tolerable, by the great majority of the Canadian listening public.

But is that good enough? After all the listener pays for the CBC. It might be argued he could not legitimately complain about the fare offered by privately-owned stations, to whose support he contributes not a single penny; but from the CBC, to which he contributes \$2.50 a year directly, and more indirectly, he is entitled to demand service that is more than tolerable or even satisfactory.

The facts as borne out by actual audience survey, are: that a large part of the Canadian audience deliberately ignores CBC programs to listen to independent stations; second, that the CBC has its largest audience when it broadcasts American programs such as Charlie McCarthy, Fred Allen and Fibber McGee.

There can be no doubt that, compared to what is offered free by independent broadcasters in U.S.A. and Canada, CBC programs are simply not worth what they cost the listener. And unless the CBC starts worrying less about expanding its technical plant and increasing its administrative power, and more about improving its services, it will not be long before listeners across the country begin asking more and more frequently, "What are we paying for."

FIGURES IN ACCIDENT

On Saturday, a car owned by C. W. Kearse, of Stirling, was damaged when it was struck by another owned by Corey Snider, of Smithfield, as the latter attempted to pull up beside the parked car in the lot north of the Brewers Store. —Trenton Courier-Advocate.

THE TOURIST IS ALWAYS RIGHT.

(Cornwall Standard-Freeholder)

—Little acts of kindness travel far. From points as distant as Pawtucket, Rhode Island, and Windsor, Ont., come words of praise for the special yellow "tickets" which city police reserve for tourists. These "park as long as you like" tickets have been used here for a number of years, and it is one of the best steps yet taken to win friends and influence tourists.

The idea was started in Cornwall about 12 years ago by ex-Mayor Aaron Horowitz. The face of the ticket tells the visitor he has committed a parking violation, but since he is a visitor, it doesn't count. The back contains a good deal of pertinent information about Cornwall.

SHARP CONTRAST

(Peterborough Examiner)

News from Ottawa says that the staff of 1,500 now engaged in work on income tax returns hope to have caught up with their job in a year or two. This compares unfavorably with the sharp letter sent to any business firm which is two or three days late in making a return on the money which it is compelled to deduct from its employees' wages — government bookkeeping which it does for nothing.

THE GLASSES "RACKET"

(St. Thomas Times-Journal)

We recall that a few months ago a commission appointed by the Government at Ottawa investigated the eye-glass business, and found that a combine, mostly American, but partly Canadian, compelled optometrists to buy lenses from them and forced them to make high charges under penalty of not getting materials.

Parliament adjourned without doing anything about it. As we expected at the time, the report has been shoved in the archives and forgotten. The racket goes on and the public continues to be gouged.

Mountbatten

To Open Exhibition

One of the outstanding figures of the Second World War, Rear Admiral the Right Hon. the Earl Mountbatten of Burma, on Friday of this week officially opens the second post-war Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto. The impressive ceremony at which Lord Mountbatten officiates inaugurates 14 days of unique education, and entertainment at the world's largest annual exhibition.

Lord Mountbatten, last Viceroy and first Governor General of India will attend the second day of the Exhibition too. On Saturday, August 28, he will take the salute from scores of thousands of war veterans—Canadian, British and American—who

will march through Exhibition Park in the thrilling Warriors' Day parade. Earl Mountbatten will be accompanied by Lady Mountbatten and their daughter, Pamela.

Music for the Opening Day ceremony will be played by the Band of His Majesty's Welsh Guards, which is giving two concerts a day during the period of the Exhibition—Aug. 27 to Sept. 11, except Sundays. The Welsh Guards Band highlights two weeks of the best band music. Daily concerts are given by leading Canadian bands, and some 35 bands from all over Ontario and one from Quebec, will compete in the C.N.E. band competition. A feature on Children's Day, Monday, Aug. 30, will be the appearance of the Oshweken Indian Band, Mohawk musicians in their colorful native costumes.

Elwood A. Hughes, C.N.E. general manager, has lined up an impressive array of attractions and features for the 1948 Exhibition.

Biggest addition of the C.N.E. facilities this year is the new \$3,000,000, grandstand, largest and finest building of its kind in Canada. In front of the grandstand, which can accommodate 22,000 people, a spectacular vaudeville show will be presented every afternoon, while every night Olsen and Johnson, the mad zanies of showdom, who made such a hit at the 1947 C.N.E., will headline an elaborate extravaganza, including glamorous ballet numbers.

This year's Horst Show, from Sept. 6 to 11, will bring before the public an unusually fine display of horses and riding contests. The C.N.E. agriculture department has many more entries than last year.

There will be some 5,000 entries alone in poultry, pigeons and pet stock. Cattle, sheep, swine and farm produce will be on hand in abundance. The dog and cat shows likewise will be better than ever before.

For young people—and their elders too—Gene Krupa and Tommy Dorsey will play for dancing in the Coliseum Arena, Krupa Aug. 27 and 28; Dorsey Aug. 40 and 31, Sept. 1. Invitations have been sent to 600,000 children to attend the C.N.E. on Children's Day, when there will be special attractions and reduced prices for youngsters.

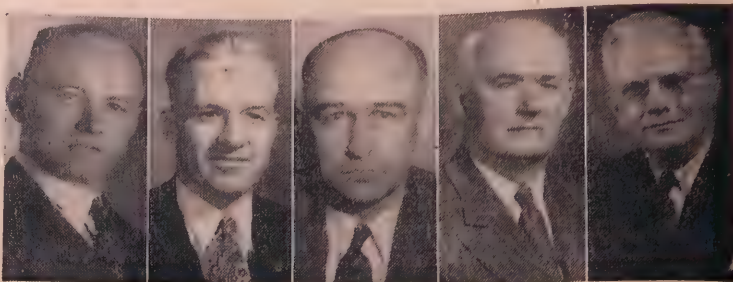
There will be thrilling aerobatic displays by R.C.A.F. jets and Royal Navy aircraft. Canada's armed forces will have special exhibits on the grounds.

There will be a real oil well in operation, with a crew from the oil fields at Leduc, Alta., driving a steel drill hundred of feet deep. Of course, they don't expect to find oil at the C.N.E., but there'll be plenty of action anyway.

Sports, of course, have an important place on the C.N.E. program. The world's professional swimming championships for women will be held Wednesday, September 1, for \$3,850 in prizes and the men's marathon swim, for \$10,500 in prizes, will take place Friday, Sept. 3. There will be power boat races, amateur swimming championships, canoe races, sculling, yacht and dinghy races, a dog derby professional high diving, water skiing, international softball and a host of other athletic activities to appeal to young and old.

For months, every bit of space in the exhibit buildings has been reserved. Manufacturers' General Exhibits, Food Products, Governments, Automotive, Electrical, Business Equipment, Women's Coliseum annexes, Ontario Government, Railways, and all other splendid pavilions in Exhibition Park will be packed with

IMPROVE C.P.R. SERVICE



A number of promotions in the important transportation department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, designed to give faster and more efficient service to the public, have been announced. Left to right, above are E. G. O'Brien, of Montreal, who takes over the new post of chief of car service; H. Chester, Winnipeg, and V. G. Smart, Toronto, both of whom become assistants to the general superintendent of transportation; P. W. Raines, Toronto, who will be the first superintendent of safety and train rules; and F. E. Howse, Mont-

real, who will be the first supervisor of station services. All of them will make their offices in Montreal effective September 1 and report to R. E. Taylor, general superintendent of transportation. Mr. O'Brien, assistant general superintendent of transportation at Montreal for the past six years, has been with the C.P.R. since 1901; Mr. Chester, inspector of transportation for the prairie and Pacific regions since 1944, joined the company in 1916; Mr. Smart, who last year took over the post of special

representative, eastern region, has seen 31 years' C.P.R. service; Mr. Raines, for the past five years rules instructor for the eastern region, has been with the railway since 1912, and Mr. Howse has been inspector, transportation department, since March of 1947 and with the road since 1912. Their jurisdiction will be system-wide in the important department known as "the heart of the railway" which sees to it that the Canadian Pacific's 1,800 locomotives, 75,900 freight cars and 2,700 passengers are at the right place at the right time.

interesting and colorful displays that confirm the C.N.E.'s proud claim that it's the show window of the nation.

DRIVER COURTESY

Motorists, do you ever feel the urge to cut in on some other driver—just because he has cut in on you?

If so, don't do it. Discourtesy is catching, like the measles. But courtesy can also be contagious once it starts. The Department of Highways urges every driver to start his own personal courtesy campaign. It won't cost you anything and it may save lives.

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CONTROLS LIFTED ON EXPORTS OF BEEF, CATTLE, CALVES, BEEF, VEAL

Effective since August 16, export control of beef cattle and calves, beef and veal, dressed and other edible beef and veal products, canned foods containing meats, and meat pastes, has been discontinued. Control was imposed in September, 1942, to maintain supplies of beef for Canadian consumers and to aid in the enforcement of price controls.

Officials of the Dominion Department of Agriculture point out that, while the United States has no pre-

sent restrictions on the number of cattle to be imported at the minimum duty of 1 1/2 cents per pound live weight, the total quota under the new trade agreement is 400,000 head annually, for cattle weighing over 700 pounds, instead of the old total of 225,000 head. In addition to live cattle, Canadian beef and beef by-products may also find a market in the United States under the new duty rate of 3 cents per pound established by the Geneva agreement instead of the old rate of 6 cents per pound.

As to the number of cattle which might be exported to the United States, in 1944 exports of beef, mainly to Great Britain, were equivalent to more than 600,000 head of cattle. Since that time export surpluses have dropped off until, in the first seven months of this year, exports amounted to the equivalent of only 55,000 head of cattle. However, in recent weeks cattle marketings have been on the increase, and there is no doubt that there will be a substantial seasonal surplus of beef in Canada during the remainder of this year.

To meet United States Bureau of Animal Industry requirements, cattle and calves for export to the United States from Canada in carload lots for slaughter do not have to be tested but must be accompanied by an official veterinarian's certificate.

Range cattle and calves for export to the United States from Canada, for purposes other than slaughter, must have passed a negative tuberculin test within thirty days prior to exportation, and cattle and calves if over six months of age, other than steers and spayed heifers must also pass a negative test for Brucellosis (Bangs Disease) within thirty days prior to exportation and be accompanied by a certificate issued or endorsed by a salaried veterinarian of the Canadian Government.

All cattle and calves entering the United States are subject to inspection by a veterinarian of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry at port of entry and may be rejected for physical defects, abnormalities or evidence of disease.

The United States Bureau of Animal Industry will not permit the transportation by motor truck into the United States of cattle intended for slaughter unless such cattle are accompanied by tuberculin and blood test certificates as required for Canadian cattle entering the United States for breeding or dairy purposes.

Export permits are now being freely issued to anyone desiring to export oats and barley from Canada, and since August 1, equalization fees formerly charged on the export of oats and barley have been discontinued.

SELECT COLOUR OF HEDGE CAREFULLY

Hedges should be to a garden what walls and partitions are to a house, says R. W. Oliver, Assistant Ornamental Horticulture, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. They should give privacy from without and act as a background to the brighter displays of the garden from within.

The height, colour and texture of a hedge will be governed largely by the size of the property and type of garden which the hedge surrounds. A large garden needs a taller hedge than a small garden. A tall or medium hedge should under ordinary circumstances, be mid or dark green in colour as its purpose is to act as a background to the garden. A golden, grey or red leaved hedge kills the appearance of any plants in the foreground.

Low hedges or borders, which are used only to give emphasis to the design by extending the architectural lines in plan on the property, may be of brighter shades, particularly in formal work or in conjunction with light coloured buildings.

The texture or detail of a hedge is largely a matter of coarse and fine foliage and the degree of shininess. Large leaves and shiny ones are seen in more detail than small or dull green ones. Consequently they have the appearance of being nearer at hand and the tendency to reduce the apparent size of the space they surround. A hedge of fine texture and dull green colour such as Caragana would, on the other hand, increase the apparent size.

ACT PROTECTS WHEN USING POISONS

During the past few years numerous new pesticides have been discovered which have been found valuable in controlling some agricultural pests. Unfortunately in some cases time has not yet permitted a thorough analysis and exhaustive study of their effect upon warm-blooded animals, including man but it is known that some are poisonous and detrimental to health.

Two of such chemicals are Hept (Hexa ethyl-tetra phosphate) and Tepp (Tetra ethyl-pro phosphate).

They are sufficiently poisonous to warm-blooded animals to warrant special precautions in handling, and in addition there is possibility of poisoning through skin absorption. While most people using these materials are accustomed to handling poisonous substances, accidents may happen if familiarity is permitted to breed contempt.

The Plant Products Division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture which administers the Pest Control Products Act, is reluctant to register pesticides material under the Act—thus permitting general sale—if the material is detrimental to public health and to domestic animals even when used in accordance with directions. The Division therefore consults with scientists of the Department's Science Service and with specialists in other Government departments concerned with such matters.

If it is agreed that the new substance is sufficiently important as a pesticide to be offered for sale, registration under the Act may be granted. But special care is taken to restrict the quantity of the new toxicant to that required to do the job, and to ensure that adequate warning is printed on the label of the preparation to safeguard the health and well-being of those who use it.

MANY USES FOR WORLD'S OILS, FATS

Rationing of butter and shortages of lard, shortening, soap, paints, varnishes, and lubricating oils in Canada during the war, showed the importance of oils and fats in international trade.

The world production of oils and fats of all kinds in the years just before the war amounted on the average to between 24 and 25 million tons a year, and of the oil-equivalent, three-fifths came from oilseed crops, and two-fifths came from animal fats or were fish oils, according to the 1949 Summary of Vegetable Oils and Oilseeds, prepared by the Commonwealth Economic Committee. In 1946 the

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estimated world production was about 20 per cent less than the pre-war average, but the total quantity of oils and fats which entered world trade fell by more than 50 per cent, from about 6.50 million tons to 3.15 million tons.

When thinking of vegetable oils Canadians are inclined to picture the oil crops grown in Canada—flax, soybeans, rape and sunflower. Actually there are 30 different trees or crops which are used for the production of fatty oils—as distinct from volatile or essential oils, which are mainly of vegetable origin also—and a much larger number are known to contain oil which has not been extracted commercially. The oils which are important in international trade and which account for about 90 per cent of the total are coconut oil, palm and palm kernel oil, groundnut (peanut), linseed (flax), soybean, and cotton seed oil. Rapeseed is one of the most extensively grown oilseed crops, and during the war gained importance as a substitute for the scarce castor oil as a lubricant. The quantity entering international trade is small. The most important of the other oil crops are olive oil, sunflower oil and sesame, all of which are mainly consumed domestically, and castor, tung and perilla oil.

By far the most important of the animal fats are butter and lard. Whale oil is the chief maritime oil and its output has risen notably with

the development of whaling in the Antarctic.

Modern extraction processes have made available for edible purposes many oils which previously were considered only suitable for soap and other non-edible purposes. Even so, some are more generally used than others for particular purposes. Thus, for the manufacture of margarine the most important vegetable oils are coconut, palm kernel, palm, groundnut, cottonseed and soybean. Coconut, palm, and palm kernel oils are also widely used for soap making. For shortening, cottonseed predominates, but soybean oil and groundnut oil have been used more extensively in recent years. Drying oils are required in the manufacture of paints and varnishes, and for these linseed oil is most generally used, soybean, tung and perilla oils as substitutes. Castor and rapeseed oils are used as lubricants.

DON'T BUTT IN

Little boys are taught not to butt in when someone else is in a conversation. In the same way, drivers of cars shouldn't cut in or cut out when some one else is driving along the road. Courtesy is even more important on the road than in conversation. On the road it saves lives every day.

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2.30 p.m. Mount Pleasant
8.00 p.m. Wellmans

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Minister

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3 p.m. Carmel Worship Service.

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Sunday, August 29, 1948

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper
2 p.m.—Gospel Bells Broadcast
8 p.m. Thursday — Prayer and
Bible Study
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
Speaker, R. Tyrer.

Mount Pleasant

Miss Betty McConnell spent a few weeks holidaying at Toronto, Niagara Falls, Oshawa and Holloway.

Miss Esma Cole, who has been spending the summer vacation at Wooler, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Linn and Ruth. She will soon be resuming her teaching duties at Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell visited friends at Gananoque over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson, Detlor, spent the week end with Mrs. Gilbert Smith and visited other friends. They also attended the morning service at Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spencer, of Belleville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. M. Spencer and attended service at Mount Pleasant.

Miss Marguerite Stone and Mr. Kenneth Stone, Holloway, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White.

Mr. Bill McAdam is recovering from his recent accident when he was badly burned. While operating a tractor for threshing operations, spilled gasoline ignited and set fire to his clothing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ormel MacMullen and David, of Belleville, were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen.

Mrs. J. S. Barron, of Bethel, spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Ira David and Mr. David.

Mrs. J. T. Weaver, of Belleville, spent a recent week-end with her mother, Mrs. John Johnson.

Mrs. Frank Easton and Miss Ferne Easton, of Belleville, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Jeffs and attended the Morning Service at Mount Pleasant.

Mr. Douglas Bird, of Frankford, is holidaying with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies.

On Sunday morning at Mount Pleasant, Rev. H. C. Vaclavik sang a selection, "He's My Friend", with Mrs. Vaclavik as accompanist.

Miss Audrey Stapley, of Oak Hills, spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson and Leslie moved to an apartment in Campbellford last week.

Mrs. A. Sager, of Radio Beam, is holidaying with her parents in Vancouver.

Mrs. Fred Jeffs had the misfortune to fall in her home last week and she is slowly recuperating.

Mrs. E. Ferrier and son, of Radio Beam, is visiting her parents in Montreal.

Mrs. G. S. Spencer attended a shower on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clayton Thompson in honour of Miss Marion Hart, of Woodstock.

Miss Marion Johnson spent the week end with her friend, Miss Muriel Carley, at Concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and their granddaughter, Miss Eleanor Smith, also Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Curry, of Brockville, enjoyed a delightful motor trip last week to Midland. From there, they embarked on "The Thirty Thousand Island Cruise" from Midland to Parry Sound and return, a total boat trip of one hundred and five miles through scenic territory with brief stops at "Honey Harbour" and other points of interest. They also spent an evening at Atherley Junction, near Orillia. Mr. and Mrs. Curry spent the week-end with relatives in Belleville.

About forty men gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAdam on Wednesday and assisted with the barn-raising. Mrs. Earl McAdam, Mrs. Bob Howard, Mrs. Merle Spencer, Mrs. George Merrick and Mrs. Oscar Merrick helped Mrs. McAdam with the noon meal.

Jimmie and Pauline Johnson, of Campbellford, spent a few days last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Johnson.

Mr. B. C. Tucker, of Bethel, attended the Morning Service and visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White, Mr. Harold White, Miss Marguerite Stone and Mr. Kenneth Stone spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray White and Judy at Eldorado.

Wellmans

On Sunday afternoon, Aug. 22nd, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thrasher and boys, of Belleville and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mason and boys, of Sudbury, took tea at Healey Falls; it being Mrs. Fred Thrasher's birthday.

Mrs. Lloyd King and Yvonne took tea Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hutcheon and Bruce spent Monday of this week in Toronto.

Miss Mina Dracup visited during the past week with relatives in Peterboro.

Mr. Tom Mahoney and Eileen, of Campbellford, spent Friday evening with Mr. Alex Johnston.

Quite a large number from Wellman's attended the induction service at Mt. Pleasant for the Rev. Mr. Vaclavik.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Dunlop, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton and girls and Mrs. Russell Johnson spent the past week camping at Salmon Lake.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Vaclavik took tea Monday evening with Mrs. Paul Sharp and Jack.

Mrs. W. B. Totton, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bristol, Barbara and Maribeth, of Belleville, were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rainie, James, and Miss Emma Rainie.

Mrs. Byron Seeley and Miss Fay Seeley called on friends at Wellman's on Monday and took tea with Miss Mabel Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Fowke and baby are holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Mrs. Carl Clancy visited Mrs. Edward Todd Thursday afternoon.

Master James Rainie is spending this week in Belleville, with his cousins, Barbara and Maribeth Bristol.

Marsh Hill

Miss Lois Mitts is getting along nicely, after having a tonsillectomy on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Carr and son, of River Valley, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heasman.

Miss Evelyn Bleeker spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bleeker, and returned to Guelph on Saturday, accompanied by her niece, little Miss Joan Frederick, also returning home after holidaying here for the past month.

Chatterton W.I. served dinners at Belleville Fair on Tuesday last week and realized the neat sum of \$175.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Stratton, of Oakville, are guests of Mrs. Robert

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Mrs. J. H. Philip, of Lindsay, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lindenfield.

Master Garry Chant, of Hampton, is holidaying with his cousin, Miss Doreen Bartindale.

Mrs. Harry Patterson and Master Douglas, of Clayton, N.Y., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Searles.

BONARLAW Miss Deanna McCoy has returned home after spending two weeks vacation in Montreal, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall McCoy and Deanna spent Sunday at Carrying Place at the home of Mrs. Maud Zimmerman and Mrs. D. Weese.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jeffrey, and Mr. and Mrs. Graham Mouck, of Twit, attended service at St. Thomas Anglican Church on Sunday afternoon and spent the tea hour with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Courtney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner and Mrs. Morgan entertained Rev. and Mrs. Brazil and Isobel to dinner and Mr. and Mrs. John Kane and Douglas, also Misses Evelyn and Eleanor Bush of River Valley, to supper on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bird and family of Stirling and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sine and Linda enjoyed a motor trip to Peterboro and Apsley on Sunday.

Master Jackie Howard, of Hazard's has been holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Bedell spent Tuesday in Kingston.

Sorry to report Mrs. Emma Harris is on the sick list.

Springbrook

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roselle, Miami, Florida, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Melkjohn at their cottage at Oak Lake.

Mrs. W. Potts is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mason and family.

Mrs. W. Sharpe, Lenora and Don, of Toronto, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. G. Thompson.

Miss Myrtle McKeown, Peterboro, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McKeown and Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Smith have returned home after spending a holiday at Algonquin Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tanner, Toronto, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. Mumby.

Mrs. W. Potts and Mrs. Thos. Morgan spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cook, Harold.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barnum and family, of Rylestone, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Granville Melkjohn, at Oak Lake.

Mr. W. A. Flavell, of Bass Lake Lodge, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McKeown and Billie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jeffrey, at Napanee.

Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Hatfield and Ellen, of Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, Mr. Leslie Hatfield, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sine, of Campbellford were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sine.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warren called on Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Green and also Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morrison one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bradshaw, of Stirling, were tea guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Heath and Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMullen and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thompson and family, of Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bulten and family, of Holland, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Evergreen and family, of Wellman's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beeler, Mr. and Mrs. Kinsmen Beeler and Dona, of Peterboro, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Elliott.

Mrs. Walter Warren, Allyn and Douglas are holidaying at Papineau Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Morton were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton and family at Salmon Lake.

A number from Bethel attended the Induction of Rev. H. C. Vaclavik at Mount Pleasant. Ministers present were Rev. H. R. Harbeck, of Belleville, Rev. R. W. Barker, of Stirling, Rev. J. F. Lane, of Wellington.

Miss Doris Wales, of Toronto, is holidaying at the home of Mrs. H. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sine and Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson attended the Field day at R.C.A.F. Station, Trenton.

Professor Hume T. Bissonette and Mrs. Bissonette, of Hartford, Conn., Mrs. Neal Bissonette and boys, of Stratford, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker, of Burnbrae, were Friday tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sine and Gordon were visitors on Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cotton.

Friends and neighbours of Mrs. Clarence Reid, who underwent a serious operation in Belleville General Hospital, wish her a speedy recovery.

Carmel

Mrs. M. Fraser was hostess to the W.A. on Thursday for the regular meeting with an attendance of twenty-five. The president, Mrs. Harry Brown was in charge of the devotional and business periods. The programme consisted of a piano solo

by Marlene Armstrong, a vocal solo by Miss Nina Carlisle and a "Memory" contest by Mrs. Arthur Pyear. Mrs. Kenneth Weaver, as guest speaker, gave an interesting talk on "The Story of the Translation of the Bible to Modern Times." Lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Caskey and Mrs. A. W. Mairs, of Norwood, were Wednesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear. Mrs. Mairs remained for a holiday with relatives.

Carl Hubel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hubel, underwent an operation in Belleville Hospital on Thursday.

Mrs. Louise Anderson is recuperating at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Grills, after spending seven weeks in Belleville Hospital receiving treatment.

Mrs. Jack Armstrong, Mrs. Harry Brown, Mrs. Helen Neal and Miss Marion Carlisle attended a pre-nuptial shower at the home of Mrs. Ralph Vandervoort, Stirling, in honour of Miss Shirley Robson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear and Mrs. Mairs were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Murphy, of Shannonville.

Bethel W.A.

The Bethel Women's Association met on Thursday afternoon, August 19th with about twenty in attendance. The afternoon was spent in quilting a quilt for Mrs. Carman Sine. At three-thirty, the president, Mrs. Ray Shortt, called the meeting to order. The devotional period opened with the Theme Song. Hymn 171 was sung, followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison.

The Scripture reading, fourth chapter of Philipians, was taken by Mrs. R. Welbourn, after which she gave a few comments. Rev. H. C. Vaclavik led in prayer. The Devotional period closed with Hymn 177.

It was suggested by the president that the members send cards to Mrs. Chas. Dracup, who is in Toronto with her daughter. It was decided that the next meeting take the form of a quilting also. It was moved by Mrs. Roy Welbourn, seconded by Mrs. William Heath that an electric heater be purchased by the W.A. for the choir room. The committee appointed to look after this is Mrs. H. A. Elliott and Mrs. Edgar McKeown. Mrs. S. J. Elliott and Mrs. Ray Shortt were a committee appointed to investigate in connection with having a chair upholstered. Rev. H. C. Vaclavik gave a few remarks also Mrs. Vaclavik. Discussion followed regarding the price of quilting. It was decided to charge two dollars for plain quilts and four dollars for fancy ones.

River Valley

Women's Institute

The August meeting of River Valley W.I. was held a week later than usual at the home of Mrs. Alex Bush, with over thirty members and visitors in attendance.

Mrs. Percy Utman conducted the opening exercises and several messages of thanks were read. It was decided to send a box of food to Bristol W.I., England, payment to be made out of current funds as the Food Fund was exhausted. In October, a box of individual gifts of food will be packed and shipped to England for their Institute Christmas party in Bristol.

Plans were made to have a booth at Stirling Fair for the sale of coffee, pie and ice cream. Proceeds will be used for overseas boxes.

The programme was based on Canadian Citizenship and was in charge of the convener, Mrs. Gerald Richardson. She gave a splendid paper on the subject and said, "Most of us take our Canadian citizenship for granted and we never stop to think that it is because we are Canadians that we follow our accustomed mode of life. We are free to attend church of our choice, the schools of our choice; we can elect to government whoever we think will do the most for our country. We can also say what we think, freely and without fear. Our Institute is a product of our democratic way of living. In the countries of Europe, there are no groups such as ours. These people are overworked, underfed and downtrodden, and it is no wonder that Canada is a land of opportunity to the thousands of immigrants who have come to our shores since hostilities ceased."

As Canadian citizens it is up to us to do all we can to help these people get established in their new homes and to teach them the standards of Canadian living."

Miss Marjorie Bush contributed a piano solo, "Star of the Sea" and Mrs. S. McIntosh read a humorous poem by Wilson McDonald. Miss Eleanor Bush staged an alphabet contest.

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Article 7

Within a short bus ride journey from Amersham are two places that should be on the "must see" list of every visitor to England, Windsor Castle and Hampton Court Palace.

One whole day at least should be spent at Windsor for there is so much to see. The town itself is an interesting old place but the Castle is worth the whole journey to England. The usual pictures of Windsor Castle give little indication of the real size and grandeur of the many buildings.

It is known that there was a castle here in the days of William II (1087 to 1100) but the present castle was started by Edward III (1327-1377) and succeeding kings made various additions until about 1820, since which time there have been no changes.

As everyone knows, the Royal family spend much of their time at Windsor Castle but when they are absent, visitors are shown through the state apartments by expert guides who lecture in each room. These are not the private apartments of the Royal family which are in another part of the Castle.

It is impossible in the space available to adequately describe these state apartments but the following is a brief summary in the order visited.

The China Museum contains a valuable collection of services of Worcester, Wedgwood, Minton, Copeland, etc. made for various kings.

The Grand staircase has a suit of armour made for Henry VIII, colours of many regiments, arms and armour.

King Charles II Dining Room has a ceiling painted by Verrio of a Banquet of the Gods; Grindly Gibbons carvings, and priceless pictures, furniture and tapestries.

The Rubens Room is so called because of the number of paintings by that artist on the walls. It is used as the principal apartment during State visits. This room also has valuable furniture and porcelain.

The State Bedroom has a State Bedstead made 1774-1793 and the walls are covered with green silk damask. Here also are priceless paintings and furniture.

The King's Closet and the Queen's Closet are two more large rooms with period furniture and magnificent paintings.

The Picture Gallery, used as a Writing Room during state visits is known as the Picture Gallery on account of the number of masterpieces of great value. There are over 40 paintings by such artists as Hals, Rembrandt, etc.

The Van Dyck Room is so called because most of the paintings are by that artist and there are many fine pieces of furniture.

The Queen's Audience Chamber has another fine ceiling painting by Verrio and three magnificent panel tapestries of Gobelin.

The Queen's Presence Chamber also has a ceiling painting by Verrio and wonderful furniture and pictures.

The Guard Chamber has an armour clad equestrian figure, a fine collection of historical swords and batons, as well as busts, tapestries, pictures and furniture.

St. George's Hall, built by Edward III to hold the banquets of the Knights of the Garter, is 185 feet long and 36 feet wide. The decorations include the shields of Arms of all knights of the Garter from the foundation of the Order in 1344 to the present day, and busts of about 24 kings and members of the Royal Family.

The Grand Reception Room has six huge Gobelin tapestries.

The Throne Room is where many Royal Investitures of the Order of Garter have taken place. The pictures are of Sovereigns in their Garter Robes.

The Ante Throne Room has five paintings by Zuccarelli, busts and Louis XV tables.

The Waterloo Chamber has a mahogany table capable of seating 150 persons. The walls are covered with Heraldic Badges and over forty paintings of celebrities.

The last room is the Grand Vestibule, filled with cases of historical events, and other objects, forming a museum of great interest.

It would take days to really study the apartments but the visitor must keep up with the guide and party. It was noticeable that that guide never used superlatives such as "the finest in the world", although there is no doubt that many items could be so classed. There were over 5000 visitors to the apartments on the day we were there.

The Queen's Doll's House is another section open to the public but we did not have time enough to visit it.

Equally interesting is the St. George's Chapel which is one of the most beautiful and interesting buildings in England.

Here again an expert guide conducts parties of visitors and points out each item of interest and here again, hours could be spent studying the details.

St. George's Chapel is where many kings and queens are buried, including Henry VIII and his Queen, Jane Seymour; Edward VII, Queen Alexandra; George III, George IV, Henry VI and many others.

Our guide showed his sense of dramatics as he told of the body of Charles the First being smuggled past sentries into the chapel for burial at the dead of night. For a long time it was doubted if it really was the body of the king and if he really was beheaded. Years later, the body was exhumed and found to be really the body of Charles the First and the head was separate from the body.

We were fortunate in seeing the extensive and massive old altar vessels which are not usually on view,



J. FRED WILSON

Appointed Bursar At Ontario School For Deaf

Announcement has been made by the Ontario Department of Education of the appointment of J. Fred Wilson, former Progressive-Conservative member for Hastings West, to the position of Bursar for the Ontario School For the Deaf at Belleville, to succeed Mr. Charles B. McGuire, who has filled the position since 1927.

Active in municipal affairs prior to his being elected as member from Hastings West in the Provincial Legislature, Mr. Wilson for several years acted as reeve of Sidney Township. He also had the honor of being warden of the county in 1944 before resigning from municipal life to contest his riding in 1945. He has farmed in the first concession of Sidney township.

For 21 years bursar at O.S.D., Mr. McGuire was eligible for reappointment in March of this year but consented to carry on until the new appointment was made. Previous to becoming bursar he had been in the grocery business in Stirling for 20 years. He served as reeve of Stirling for eight years.

but had not been removed after a special service that morning.

Lovers of fine architecture are richly rewarded for a visit to St. George's Chapel for although it is not as old as many other Church buildings, it is far richer and the stone vaulting is glorious. It is hard to tear oneself away from this gem of England.

Going out on the north terrace of the Castle a glorious view is obtainable over the countryside and in the foreground are the buildings of Eton, one of England's most famous boys' schools. In the town of Windsor at almost any time can be seen boys with the caps, uniforms, and toppers worn by various groups of students.

The following interesting item about Eton was clipped from a recent daily paper:

"A woman I knew put her son down for Eton soon after he was born 12 years ago. His name went on the general waiting list. This was a mistake. His mother should have made sure it was on a housemaster's list.

So, unless there is a failure among the examinees in September, he stands no chance of going to Eton in the autumn. Hundreds more boys are waiting for such chance vacancies.

Fees at Eton are now 275 pounds a year. Nevertheless, lists are full until 1960.

Only a half hour's bus ride from Windsor is Hampton Court Palace which I visited on another day. It was built by Cardinal Wolsey when he was the richest and most powerful man in England. His household numbered 500 and 280 guests' rooms were always ready for guests.

Wolsey presented it to King Henry VIII who made it one of the most luxurious palaces in the kingdom.

It is now preserved by the Ministry of Works as an ancient monument and historic building. Visitors may go through the various apartments which are full of period furniture, priceless paintings, tapestries, etc.

The gardens at Hampton Court Palace are extensive and very beautiful, and the most widely-known feature there, is the famous Maze probably planted in the reign of William III. The hedges which line the paths of the Maze are 6 feet high and two feet thick, but looked to me as if they were dying. Perhaps they will be better later in the summer.

Another feature is the Tiltyard garden where tournaments were held in the days of Henry VIII. It is 7 acres in area, enclosed by high brick

walls and five towers provided accommodation for the spectators.

Hampton Court Palace and grounds are on the banks of the Thames and river streamers make frequent trips up and down the Thames, carrying passengers to such places as Richmond, Kingston, London, etc., at a small charge.

I went on one of these steamers to Kingston, which is a busy place. It was market day and I had a chance to see another of these outdoor markets which are a feature of many towns.

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Milk is the best food known, but at the same time it is a culture medium for deadly disease germs. It has been said that "unsafe" milk has been responsible for more deaths than all other foods combined.

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If late summer and fall vacationists are unable to obtain commercially pasteurized milk where they plan to spend their holiday, they can learn to pasteurize the milk themselves by writing to the Health League of Canada, 111 Avenue Road, Toronto 5, Ont.

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Special low rail fares between all stations in Canada and border points in the United States over the Labor Day holiday period were announced by J. A. Brass, Chairman of the Canadian Passenger Association.

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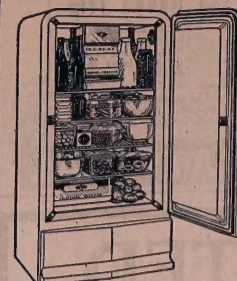
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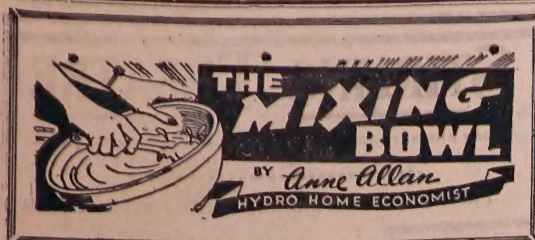
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Peeling vegetables in the morning and letting them soak in water is "out" because such treatment robs them of value. Scrub and cook in their jackets or peel just before they go into the pot where you have heated a little salted water to boiling. Cover closely to get the cooking under way at once. Note the time when steam shows boiling point again and don't overcook to avoid ruining the texture, colour and nourishment. As soon as they are tender, they are done.

TAKE A TIP

1. Unless you are in an awful hurry leave vegetables whole or cut in large pieces for cooking.
2. The best way to cook a potato is to bake it but new ones should be boiled quickly to prevent sogginess. Beets, carrots, marrow are delicious steam-cooked in a covered casserole with very little water. This requires

ten minutes longer than boiling but three kinds of vegetables can be cooked in the oven at one time—one with a milk sauce, the other with a pie crust over it and the third vegetable plain.

3. If you do have leftovers, store them, covered, in the refrigerator and use them promptly.

BOILED SWISS CHARD

Use young, tender Swiss chard. Wash thoroughly. Little or no water need be added in cooking, the water that clings to the leaves is usually enough. Cover until the chard begins to boil, then cook uncovered until tender—10 to 15 minutes. There should be almost no liquid remaining. Drain if necessary. Chop finely, season with salt, pepper, and a little cooking oil.

Older chard. Cut the white stalks into one-inch pieces, cook in water until tender. Chop and add to the leaves which have been cooked as above, or serve separately with a white sauce.

POLISH CUCUMBERS

- 3 large cucumbers, cut in pieces
- 3 tbsps. of cooking oil
- 3 tbsps. flour
- 1½ cups milk
- 1 cup dried bread crumbs
- 1 tsp. salt
- 1 pepper
- 1 cup grated cheese

Steam or simmer the cucumber in a little salted water. Arrange in a baking dish and pour over them a white sauce made with the cooking oil, flour, milk and seasonings. Cover with cheese, then the crumbs, and dot with bits of butter. Reheat in a moderate electric oven.

ONION PIE

Line a pie plate with flaky pastry and fill with layers of thinly sliced, peeled mild onions. Pile them carefully so the pie will be well filled. Beat one egg, add one tbsps. milk or water and pour over top of onions. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Bake in a preheated electric oven of 450 degrees for ten minutes, then reduce to 350 for 15 minutes.

TURNIP GREENS WITH SAUCE

- 4 qt. saucepan full of turnip greens
- 1½ tbsps. flour
- 1 cup sour cream
- 2 tbsps. vinegar
- 1 tsp. sugar
- 1 tsp. salt
- pinch of pepper
- 2 tbsps. grated cheese

Cook turnip leaves ten mins. and drain well. Combine flour and cream in a saucepan, add vinegar and seasonings and cook, stirring constantly. Serve at once over greens. Six servings.

BEETS WITH MUSTARD SAUCE

- 2 tbsps. mustard
 - 2 tbsps. sugar
 - 1 tsp. salt
 - 3 tbsps. flour
 - pinch of powdered cloves
 - 1 cup water
 - 1 cup vinegar
 - 2 egg yolks, slightly beaten
 - 2 tbsps. dripping
- Mix dry ingredients in top of double boiler. Add water, vinegar and egg yolks. Beat well and add dripping. Pour over five cups of cooked beets.

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must be "strong enough" to defend themselves if they want peace. At least that is the kind of peace which exists at the moment judging from observations on Parliament Hill and the loud whispers heard on defence preparations.

It is known that the U.S. Defence Secretary Forrestal held a two-hour meeting here with the Defence Committee of the Cabinet with amongst those present said to have been External Affairs Minister St. Laurent, Defence Minister Claxton, four Chiefs of Staff, Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, and others. It is known that the U.S. top defence official found Canada's plans moving "along the same lines" as that of U.S. It is known that the standardization of arms is still under discussion but no decision has been revealed if any has been made. It is known that the U.S. top official may have sought information about bases, including those in Newfoundland, though reportedly for "his own information" and not "by governments."

This much is known about the "courtesy" visit of U.S. Defence Secretary James Forrestal and observers in this capital seem to attach more importance to this visit than appears on the surface at the moment in face of every effort to call it a mere "courtesy" visit.

No Alliance Yet

No formal alliance as yet exists between the Union Nationale party of Prime Minister Maurice Duplessis of Quebec and the Progressive-Conservative Party, it is learned here though rumors of such a combination have been circulating for several weeks. However, there is little doubt here where the sympathy of the Union National supporters lies and it is expected that when the Progressive Conservatives gather here for their national convention at the end of September, a huge bloc will represent such supporters in Quebec, though there appears to be definite efforts made to deny that any such open alliance exists or is even being negotiated.

Is This a Hint?

By studying reports about Premier Mackenzie King's tentative plans for the next couple of months it is interpreted along Parliament Hill that he may make a formal move to hand over the Prime Ministership to Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent sometime towards the end of November or beginning of December. It is understood that this may take place after Premier King has attended the United Nations Assembly in Paris where it starts on September 21 and the gathering of British Commonwealth of Nations scheduled for London starting on Oct. 16, with time permitting calling for Mr. King to visit some other capitals in the Old World before returning here in November.

Don't Get Excited

While eggs, butter, etc., may be the subject of countless reports in the press or over the radio and most of these stories tending to suggest sensational boosts in price or shortages in the making, yet a veteran observer in this capital must report that this spreading of such stories is causing more panic than the actual developments in the trade, with the result that panic buying could be instrumental in bringing about price boosts and shortages which otherwise would not exist at all or at least not to the extent which results. In other words, the observations here amongst officials who should know about supplies of such foods as well as price trends do not confirm the numerous stories heard.

Indeed inquiries indicate clearly that normal buying and natural reaction of consumers to advancing prices have been powerful influences in keeping prices down. It happened in several Canadian cities in regard to eggs and other items with so-called "buyer's resistance" to rising prices forcing chain stores and corner grocers to lower their prices or be "stuck" with the goods. Report after report of minor stampedes for certain food-stuffs only help profiteers whether these are spread deliberately or "accidentally," it is emphasized by those who should know consumer reactions.

Reports are Denied

A report that the United States will be allowed to continue operating bases acquired during the war in Newfoundland even after it becomes Canada's 10th province, is not confirmed here where it is stressed that this will not be discussed until Newfoundland has actually entered Confederation, presently held as likely by March 31, 1949. Furthermore, a report that Canada cannot afford to maintain such bases is also flatly contradicted here in informed quarters. There is no truth whatsoever in this latter report, judging from inquiries here.

Skyrocketing Prices

Both the quality and quantity of

beef available to consumers in various sections across Canada are expected to go down but the prices to go up as a result of the lifting of export controls over shipment of such meats to the U.S., with hints heard in this capital that this may affect the cost-of-living index by another upward swing of about 2 points, though an all-time high of 156.9 has now been registered. However, at the same time it is believed here that "buyer's resistance" to higher prices will force initial upswings in meat prices to fall sooner or later. In regard to supplies, Canadian meat stocks totalled \$9,201,700 lbs. on Aug. 1 in cold storage buildings, whereas a year ago on same date these had been recorded at 68,367,495 lbs.

Said in the Capital

"International affairs are bedeviled with prejudice and misunderstanding simply the result of half-educated minds unable to resist the appeal of other half-educated minds," said Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs "Mike" Pearson in an address in the capital.

"At our convention there will be no examination, no gagging or stifling of delegates, no domination of the rank and file by the hierarchy," emphasized Dick Bell, National Director of the Progressive-Conservative Party, telling here of plans for his party's national convention in Ottawa opening Sept. 30.

"Conditions may have changed greatly since I was there but I think there will be a change for the better when Newfoundland comes in with Canada," Rev. H. D. Whitmore stated here where he is now a resident and who had spent ten years in Newfoundland prior to coming to Canada, this being in 1909.

"This shows clearly that Canadians as a whole are big consumers of the best food on the market," remarked Dr. A. H. White, expert of the Agriculture Department, Canadian Department, Canadian Government, pointing out that last year the average consumption of milk in Canada was 1,300 pounds per person.

"The Canadian Construction Association takes the view that the Dominion government should recognize its responsibility in connection with such roads by granting sums of money to the provinces to assist in their construction," said President Allan C. Ross here commenting on reports that a Dominion-Provincial Conference may be called to discuss the Trans-Canada Highway.

Weekly Wind-Up

Rising costs of wax paper, flour, fats, wages, etc., may force bakers to boost bread prices in some areas across Canada, it is forecast here, though it is known that bakers gen-

erally are anxious to keep such prices down because the masses appear to be particularly sensitive to price increases for bread.

There is a strong possibility that some relaxation, at least temporarily may be made by the authorities here to allow into Canada motor car parts from the U.S. so that present interruptions in production of motor vehicles may be avoided on account of "bottlenecks."

A report about a new wrapper for butter being used on a widespread scale shortly is heard here but this will mean a slight increase in cost, even if it is said to be worth the difference because it will help to keep the butter in better condition longer both in consumer's refrigerator and in cold storage.

It is true that Canada's Unemployment Insurance Fund has reached a total of close to half a billion dollars but it is pointed out here that it has not been tested by any depression with the hint being that a depression could use up the surplus in surprisingly fast time. In 1931, the worst year of the depression, over 20% of the population was unemployed in Canada, it is worth remembering.

Premier Mackenzie King has not been requested to remain in the Cabinet until the next general election in face of rumors to that effect, it is learned along Parliament Hill where it is understood that no steps to that effect have been taken since Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent became leader of the Liberal Party.

WARNS AGAINST SELF-MEDICATION FOR SKIN DISORDERS

"Many fine pairs of shoes have been bought for the dermatologists' baby from the proceeds of the layman's treatment follies," so says Dr. L. P. Ereaux, of Montreal, in "You're Asking For It" in the current issue of HEALTH, Canada's leading health magazine, published by the Health League of Canada. The author is one of Canada's leading skin specialists.

"If you want to play doctor, my counsel is to look before you buy, consult before you try and don't be foolish," Dr. Ereaux says. "As an exterior decorator, I can tell you that the skin game is not so easily played. 'Self-medicators' delight to experiment on their own hides and mix up their treatments. What is true for an alcohol holiday is equally true of mixed treatment in the care of the skin." The writer instances the case of applying mercury ointment to the skin, previously painted with iodine or, in the reverse process.

"The fireworks set ablaze are wonderful to behold on the epidermis," he states, and adds that "the hot foot

of the athlete, with ringworm between his toes, soon becomes a pageant of tropical splendor when an ointment, designed to scale a long-standing case, is applied to an acutely swollen, moist and broken skin."

Dr. Ereaux advises it is not wise to "pass on the remedy to Cousin Jim so successfully used in treating Aunt Matilda's itch, because Jim's skin may burn under its action." He warns against stocking up, in the medicine cupboard, old remedies because age may change a concentration of ingredients.

Women daily invite skin irritations by the application of "cosmetic camouflage," the writer warns, while even the miracle drugs of sulphur and penicillin can prove dangerous, and should not be used on the skin without a doctor's order.

He agrees that patent medicines have value, but adds that "one thing the makers do not sell, unfortunately, is the medical common sense required for their administration. Such judgment comes only from long medical experience."

IMMUNIZATION WEEK

SEPTEMBER 12-18

Canada's sixth annual National Immunization Week will be observed from September 12 to 18. It has been announced by the Health League of Canada which sponsors the event in co-operation with departments of health.

The wisdom of proven immunization procedures—such as use of toxoid to cough vaccine to prevent whooping cough—is seen in a steadily decreasing annual Canadian death toll from these two diseases, but the Health League points out that the battle will not be won until there is no death toll.

The need for continuing such campaigns as National Immunization Week is seen in the fact that 380 Canadians, mostly children, died from diphtheria and whooping cough—two preventable diseases—in 1947.

APPOINT DELEGATES

Delegates to the Progressive-Conservative convention from South Hastings, include Claude V. Graham, of Trenton, with T. C. Graham, of Tweed as alternate; youth delegate, Graham Mouch of Hungerford township with Gerald Hyde, of Belleville, as alternate; ladies' delegate, Mrs. Douglas Atkins of Thurlow township, with Mrs. Chas. Hyde, of Belleville, as alternate.

Ex-official delegates to the convention include Mr. George H. Stokes, M.P. for South Hastings; Elmer Sandcock, M.P.P. for Hastings West, and Roscoe Robson, M.P.P. for Hastings East.

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Inside Story

While there were reportedly many parts missing in the jigsaw puzzle of the so-called "courtesy" visit to this capital of United States Defence Secretary James Forrestal since many questions remained after he had come and gone, yet a hint of some important aftermaths is contained in what is known to have taken place in this meeting of top levels on defence of North America with this being especially significant in view of the delicate situation now known to exist on the international scene where leaders bluntly warn that the nations

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Legion and Foxboro Winners In First Games Of Semi-Finals

Stirling Legionnaires and Foxboro won the opening games of the semi-finals of the Centre Hastings Softball League played at the Recreational Centre diamond on Monday night, with the former downing Stirling "Lumber Kings" 18 to 8 in a listless game, while Foxboro edged out Mt. Pleasant 4 to 3 in a thrilling struggle. A good crowd was on hand for both games.

In the opening struggle, Dafeo went to the mound for Stirling in place of Rodgers, who is nursing an injured hand. He set the Legionnaires down in order in the first, gave up one run in the second, and blanked them again in the third. However, the roof caved in the fourth when ten of the Legionnaires went to bat, when three walks, four singles, a triple by Bastedo, and a couple of errors netted them six runs. In the sixth, Dafeo again lost his control and after giving up three walks and a couple of singles for four runs, was replaced by F. Eggleton, who was no improvement. Finally F. Donohue went to the mound and finished the game. Sixteen Legionnaires went to bat in the inning for a total of eleven runs.

Noble was on the mound for the Legion and after giving up five runs in the first inning, held the "Lumber Kings" scoreless until the last inning when they shoved across three runs. In the sixth, he showed his best pitching when, with the bases loaded, he struck out Eggleton and Bailey.

Legion—Bastedo, 2b; Rose, cf; Kreh, c; Mayhew, ss; Cornett, 1b; Shannon, 3b; Potter, lf; Patterson, rf; Noble, p.

Stirling—Bailey, cf; Montgomery, 2b; Tanner, 3b; Dafeo, p; Rodgers, 1b; Fraser, c; D. Bastedo, lf; Donohue, ss; Eggleton, rf.

Umpires—plate, H. Brown; bases, M. Heath. Foxboro vs Mt. Pleasant

The second game was a real pitchers' battle with the outcome in doubt until the last batter was out. Potts on the mound for Mount Pleasant, pitched brilliantly and deserved a better fate but errors in the pinches

by his mates caused his defeat. He gave up only four hits and one walk, and had eleven strikeouts to his credit. McMillan, pitching for Foxboro, gave up nine hits and one walk, and had six strikeouts to his credit.

Foxboro opened the scoring in the first inning, when McCaughan singled and after getting, around to third on put-outs, scored on a passed ball. They added one in the fourth on a homer by "Tip" Tummon and two in the fifth, when F. Tummon walked, Ketcheson hit a bouncer to third and both runners were safe when the throw to second for the four-out pulled the second baseman off the bag, Scott hit a drive to right field and when Lavender's throw to the plate went wild, both runners scored.

Mount Pleasant threatened in the second when Stapley tripled, but died in third when Lavender and Ross Jeffs struck out. They counted twice in the fourth to tie the score when Stocker singled, Johnston went down second to first, and Stapley hit a single to deep centre, which went for a homer when the ball got away from Scott. They loaded the bases with no one out in the fifth on a walk to Sine and singles by Potts and Ralph Jeffs, but only counted one run. Stocker hit to the pitcher who tossed to the plate, forcing Sine. Johnston flied to centre field, with Potts scoring after the catch, and Stapley went down second off first.

Stapley, with a triple and a homer, and Lavender with a double were the heavy hitters for the losers, while "Tip" Tummon, with a homer, and Scott, with a triple, were best at the plate for the winners.

Mount Pleasant—Sine, ss; Potts, p; Ralph Jeffs, 2b; Stocker, cf; Johnston, lf; Stapley, c; Lavender, rf; R. Jeffs, 3b; Campbell, 1b.

Foxboro—P. Priest, 3b; McCaughan, 1b; G. Priest, 2b; "Tip" Tummon, c; Sine, rf; McMillan, p; F. Tummon, lf; Ketcheson, ss; Scott, cf.

Score by innings:
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